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REPORT FOR DECEMBER.

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT.

The following table shows the operations of the Reference Department of the New York Public Library for December, 1901, with the corresponding figures for the last six months, as compared with the corresponding six months of 1900:

	DEC., 1901.	LAST SIX MONTHS, 1901.	CORRESPONDING MONTHS, 1900.
No. vols. purchased, accessioned.....	1,187	6,599	8,255
No. vols. given, ".....	1,002	6,515	10,731
No. pams. purchased, ".....	241	1,785	5,501
No. pams. given.....	1,356	6,062	11,895
No. vols. actually received by purchase.....	796	4,922	6,274
No. vols. " " " gift.....	761	4,311	7,055
No. pams. " " " purchase.....	141	1,917	3,449
No. pams. " " " gift.....	2,712	18,167	13,263
No. prints " " " gift.....	5	212	1,759
No. maps " " " purchase.....	0	27	0
No. maps " " " gift.....	50	270	260
No. vols. " " " exchange.....	265	739	1,477
No. pams. " " " exchange.....	25,768	39,060	2,739
No. vols. sent out in exchange.....	80	706	1,657
No. pams. sent out in exchange.....	194	10,500	10,637
No. vols. sent out for binding.....	742	2,332	1,976
No. vols. sent to Library binder.....	106	401	436
No. maps mounted by Library binder.....	1	3	21
No. books catalogued.....	4,683	18,771	25,008
No. pams. ".....	2,450	11,259	15,286
No. cards written.....	7,815	62,727	91,795
No. slips written for printer.....	765	6,075	7,217
No. readers and visitors.....	14,873	78,324	58,301
No. readers, desk applicants.....	9,975	51,247	
No. vols. consulted.....	32,961	198,910	286,375
Daily average... ..	506	469	375
No. readers periodical department.....	2,030	11,336	10,592
Daily average.....	81	72	68
No. periodicals consulted.....	19,315	117,595	97,373
(No. from outside rack).....	2,946	15,889	
No. readers Russian department....	287	1,504	1,012
No. works consulted.....	677	5,769	6,287

REPORT FOR DECEMBER

During the calendar year ending December 31, 1901, the number of volumes actually received (including exchanges) was 28,137, and of pamphlets 84,389.

The number of volumes catalogued was 54,071, and of pamphlets 35,018. The total number of cards written was 185,452.

The total number of readers during the calendar year was 163,995, and the number of volumes consulted was 517,483, not including those used at the free reference shelves.

There are now on the shelves of the Astor and Lenox Branches of the Library, available for readers, 552,071 volumes and 190,273 pamphlets.

CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT.

The most popular books of the month were (in non-fiction): Thompson's "Lives of the Hunted," Washington's "Up from Slavery," and Wilson's "History Reader;" (adult fiction) Parker's "The Right of Way," Churchill's "The Crisis," and Cable's "The Cavalier;" (juvenile fiction) Wiggin's "Bird's Christmas Carol," Alcott's "Little Women," and Lang's "Violet Fairy Book."

CIRCULATION STATISTICS FOR DECEMBER.

BRANCHES.	CIRCULATION.		NEW REGISTRA- TIONS.	READERS IN READING ROOM.		VOLUMES ACCES- SIONED.
	HOME USE.	TOTAL.		MINORS.	TOTAL.	
Bond Street.....	12,099	12,470	231	1,328	3,994	66
Ottendorfer	18,993	20,026	324	2,194	4,649	191
George Bruce.....	13,604	15,857	263	1,649	2,253	93
Jackson Square.....	12,315	13,542	150	863	3,060	148
Harlem.....	12,217	13,149	211	1,120	2,003	53
Muhlenberg.....	9,326	11,111	129	990	1,785	105
Bloomingdale	16,374	18,108	220	2,090	3,491	215
Riverside	4,384	5,069	70	955	1,541	0
Yorkville.....	17,847	18,695	252	545	848	140
Thirty-fourth Street....	5,424	7,370	90	1,306	1,946	1
Chatham Square.....	17,040	17,928	313	719	888	266
St. Agnes.....	13,163	14,933	190	1,183	3,066	174
Washington Heights....	8,150	10,760	170	3,123	5,023	121
Travelling	16,188	16,188	0	0	0	318
Public School No. 30...	148	192	7	0	392	0
Public School No. 33...	39	39	3	193	317	0
Public School No. 90...	428	1,022	23	633	1,139	0
Public School No. 160...	216	498	14	5,032	5,490	0
	177,955	196,957	2,660	23,923	41,885	1,891

During the period July-December, 1901, the number of volumes in circulation for home use was 956,139 (of which 4,816 were from the public school reading rooms); the total number of volumes in circulation was 1,047,814 (of which 11,857

were from the public school reading rooms); the number of new registrations was 15,136 (of which 625 were at the public school reading rooms); the number of readers (minors) was 98,930 (of which 23,904 were at the public school reading rooms), the total number of readers being 217,967 (of which 39,208 were at the public school reading rooms); and the number of volumes accessioned was 10,095 (of which 1,717 were at the public school reading rooms).

During the calendar year ending December 31, 1901, the number of volumes actually received in the Circulation Department was 22,458.

The total number of readers in the library reading rooms was 421,692, reference books in the halls being used by 195,816 readers.

There are now on the shelves of all circulation branches, available for readers, 212,802 volumes.

One of the important gifts of the calendar year was a portrait of Governor Samuel J. Tilden, presented to the Trustees by Mr. William O. McDowell at their meeting on April 10th. It is in oil, painted by Matthew Wilson, represents Mr. Tilden at about the age of fifty years, and is said to have been one of his favorite likenesses.

One of the important gifts of the month was from Leonard E. Opdycke, 31 volumes, being Domenichi's translation of Nocera's *Life of Consalvo Ferrando di Cordova* (Firenze: Lorenzo Torrentino, 1552); Machiavelli's "*Historie*" (Vinegia: Aldus, 1540), and 29 editions of Count Castiglione's "*Il Libro del Cortegiano*," the latter including six Florence editions from 1528 to 1892; nine of Venice, from 1541 to 1842 (1541 and 1545 being Aldus imprints); three of Lyons, 1537, 1550, and 1562; three of London, 1588, 1737, 1742; two of Paris, 1546, 1577; two of Milan, 1803 and 1890; and one each of Parma, 1530; Padova, 1766; Cologne, 1771; Madrid, 1873; and New York, 1901, the last translated and annotated by Mr. Opdycke.

Mr. Maitland presented six rare pieces of Americana, as follows: "By the Treasurer, Councill and Company for Virginia" [a Proclamation ordering each of the four boroughs in Virginia to build a house for reception of new immigrants, each borough to provide itself with a minister of the gospel, requesting assistance to be tendered new arrivals, recommending more diversified industry than tobacco planting alone] (London, 1620), broadside, folded to F°, three-quarters brown morocco; "Orders and Constitutions, Partly Collected out of his Maesties Letters Patents, and partly by authority, and in vertue of the said Letters Patents: Ordained upon mature deliberation by the Gouvernor and Company of the City of London, for the Plantation of the Summer-Islands: for the better gouerning of the actions and affaires of the said Company and Plantation, 6 Febr. 1621" (London: Felix Kyngston, 1622), 4°, red morocco, by Zaehnsdorf; "Advertisement, To all Trades-men, Husbandmen, Servants and others who are willing to Transport themselves unto the Province of New-East-Jersey in America, a great part of which belongs to Scots-men, Proprietors thereof" [Scotland? 1684], broadside, folded to 4°, brown morocco, by the Club Bindery; S. E.'s "*Further Quæries Upon the Present State of the New-English Affairs*" (Boston, 1689), 4°, red morocco, by Bedford; Samuel Penhallow's "*The History of the Wars of New England, With the*

Eastern Indians" (Boston, T. Fleet, 1726), sm. 8°, a perfect copy with good margins, bound in full red morocco, gilt, by David; and J[ohn] C[alef]'s "The Siege of Penobscot by the Rebels; containing a Journal of the Proceedings of His Majesty's Forces detached from the 74th and 82d Regiments, consisting of about 700 Rank and File, under the Command of Brigadier-General Francis McLean, and of Three of His Majesty's Sloops of War, of 16 Guns each, under the Command of Captain Henry Mowat . . . with a Chart of the Peninsula of Majabigwaduce, and of the Penobscot River" . . . (London: G. Kearsley, etc., 1781), 8°, uncut, blue crushed levant, by Bedford.

Other important gifts were:—From S. P. Avery, 10 volumes, 10 pamphlets, and 29 prints, the volumes including 2 volumes of Goya's etchings; from Samuel Lane Boardman, the Biography of Peter Edes, Pioneer Printer in Maine . . . ; from Brooks Brothers, 26 directories of cities in the United States; from the City of Cleveland, 10 volumes, 1 pamphlet, and a chart, all relating to the City; from Mrs. Henry Draper, 2 volumes, 27 pamphlets and 1 print, chiefly relating to music; from Miss M. Drisler, 2 volumes and 2 pamphlets, including S. Woodworth's "Champions of Freedom;" from the Duc de Loubat, a copy of the recently-edited "Codex Fejérváry-Mayer" . . . ; from the Peruvian Minister of Finance, 3 volumes of public documents; from the Rhode Island State Library, 20 volumes and 17 pamphlets, all State documents; from the Russian Minister of Finance, 5 volumes, "Description de la Corée;" from Charles Sedelmeyer, 5 volumes of "The complete work of Rembrandt," with the promise of volumes 6, 7, and 8, when published; from the Società Italiana per le Strade Ferrate Meridionali, Florence, 15 volumes and 26 pamphlets, being reports and other documents from 1888 to the present time; and from the K. u. K. Hof-Bibliothek, Vienna, 2 volumes and 2 pamphlets, all their own publications.

The Rembrandt exhibition was continued at the Lenox until December 27th, and on the 30th a display of lithographs of Fantin-Latour and of etchings of Egusquiza was placed on view. At the Astor the Artistic Portraits were on view.

The exhibition of maps at the Astor Building has been changed to show maps of current interest, such as the Nicaragua route, various sites proposed for the federal capital of the Australian Commonwealth, China, the Philippine Islands, Africa, and the United States.

LETTERS OF EDGAR ALLAN POE, 1845-49.

The following letters are printed from the original manuscripts in the Duyckinck collection in the New York Public Library.

MY DEAR DUYCKINCK,

I leave for you what I think the best of my Poems. They are *very* few—including those only which have not been published in volume form. If they can be made to fill a book, it will be better to publish them *alone*—but if not, I can hand you some “Dramatic Scenes” from the *S. L. Messenger* (2d Vol) and “Al Aaraaf” and “Tamerlane,” two juvenile poems of some length.

Truly yours

POE.

Wednesday 10th [Sept. 1845?].

THURSDAY MORNING—13th [Nov. 1845].

85 Amity St.

MY DEAR MR DUYCKINCK,

For the first time during two months I find myself entirely myself—dreadfully sick and depressed, but still myself. I seem to have just awakened from some horrible dream, in which all was confusion, and suffering—relieved only by the constant sense of your kindness, and that of one or two other considerate friends. I really believe that I have been mad—but indeed I have had abundant reason to be so. I have made up my mind to a step which will preserve me, for the future, from at least the greater portion of the troubles which have beset me. In the meantime, I have need of the most active exertion to extricate myself from the embarrassments into which I have already fallen—and my object in writing you this note is, (once again) to beg your aid. Of course I need not say to you that my most urgent trouble is the want of ready money. I find that what I said to you about the prospects of the *B. J.* is strictly correct. The most trifling immediate relief would put it on an excellent footing. All that I want is time in which to look about me; and I think that it is your power to afford me this.

I have already drawn from Mr Wiley, first \$30—then 10 (from yourself)—then 50 (on account of the “*Parnassus*”)—then 20 (when I went to Boston)—and finally 25—in all 135. Mr Wiley owes me, for the Poems, 75, and admitting that 1500 of the Tales have been sold, and that I am to receive 8 cts a copy—the amount which you named, if I remember—admitting this, he will owe me \$120. on them:—in all 195. Deducting what I have received there is a balance of 60 in my favor. If I understood you, a few days ago, Mr W. was to settle with me in February. Now, you will already have anticipated my request. It is that you would ask Mr W. to give me, to-day, in lieu of all farther claim, a certain sum whatever he may think

advisable. So dreadfully am I pressed, that I would willingly take even the \$60 actually due, (in lieu of all farther demand) than wait until February:—but I am sure that you will do the best for me that you can.

Please send your answer to 85 Amity St. and believe me—with the most sincere friendship and ardent gratitude

Yours

EDGAR A POE.

THURSDAY MORNING [Nov. 13? 1845].

MY DEAR MR DUYCKINCK,

I am still dreadfully unwell, and fear that I shall be very seriously ill. Some matters of domestic affliction have also happened which deprive me of what little energy I have left—and I have resolved to give up the B. Journal and retire to the country for six months, or perhaps a year, as the sole means of recruiting my health and spirits. Is it not possible that yourself or Mr Matthews might give me a trifle for my interest in the paper? Or, if this cannot be effected, might I venture to ask you for an advance of \$50 on the faith of the "American Parnassus"?—which I will finish as soon as possible. If you could oblige me in this manner I would feel myself under the deepest obligation. Will you be so kind as to reply by the bearer?

Most sincerely yours

E. A. DUYCKINCK Esq.

EDGAR A POE

Jan 8. 46.

DEAR MR. DUYCKINCK,

For "particular reasons" I am anxious to have another volume of my Tales published before the 1st of March. Do you not think it possible to accomplish it for me? Would not Mr Wiley give me, say \$50, in full for the copyright of the collection I now send. It is a far better one than the first—containing, for instance, "Lygeia," which is undoubtedly the best story I have written—besides "Scheherazade," "The Spectacles," "Tarr and Fether," etc.

May I beg of you to give me an early answer, by note, addressed 85 Amity St.

Truly yours

E. A. DUYCKINCK Esq.

EDGAR A. POE

April 28.

DEAR DUYCKINCK,

Mrs C. tells me that you had some conversation with her about Keese and myself—and I have thought it best to enclose you my letter to him. May I ask of you the favor to look it over and then seal it and send it to him?—unless you have anything to suggest—in which case please do not send it until you can communicate with me.

I enclose, also, a letter from the Lit. Societies of the Vermont University. My

object is to ask you to get inserted, editorially, in the "Morning News," or some other paper, a paragraph to this effect:—or something similar.

EDGAR A. POE.—By a concurrent vote of the Literary Societies of the University of Vermont, Mr Poe has been elected Poet for their ensuing Anniversary in August next—but we are sorry to hear that continued ill health, with a pressure of engagements, will force him to decline the office.

Please preserve the letter of the Societies.

It strikes me that, some time ago, Wiley & Putnam advertised for autographs of distinguished Amer. statesmen. Is it so? I have well-preserved letters from John Randolph, Chief Justice Marshall, Madison, Adams, Wirt, Duane, E. Everett, Clay, Cass, Calhoun and some others—and I would exchange them for books.

Truly yours

E. A. POE

Can either you or Mathews furnish me with autographs of any of the following persons? Cheever—Cary—Cranch—Francis—Mrs Stephens—Clark—Verplanck—Aldrich—Maroncelli—Wetmore—Fay—Greeley—Godwin—I. Willis—Maturin—Deming—Mrs Smith—Raymond—Headley—Brownlee—Kent—Ward—Tellkamp—S. Smith—Mrs Child—G. Spring—Jno. Stephens—Cooley—Mancur—King—T. Irving—Inman—Jones—Tuckerman—Mrs Godwin—Gallatin—Haring—I. Sargent—Prof. Robinson—Channing—Lewis—Schoolcraft—Dewey—Brisbane—Tasistro.

[Endorsed, "April 18, 1846."]

MONDAY 29 [June, 1846].

MY DEAR MR. DUYCKINCK,

I am about to send the "Reply to English" (accompanying this note) to Mr Godey—but feel anxious that some friend should read it before it goes. Will you be kind enough to look it over and show it to Mathews? Mrs C. will then take it to Harden. The *particulars* of the reply I would not wish mentioned to *any* one:—of course you see the necessity of this.

The no of Littell's Age cont^g the notice, is 106—so he writes me.

Most truly yours

POE

FORDHAM—Dec. 24. 46.

DEAR DUYCKINCK,

You remember showing me about a year ago, at your house, some English stanzas—by a lady I think—from the rhythm of which Longfellow had imitated the rhythm of the Proem to his "Waif." I wish very much to see the poem—do you think you could loan me the book, or (which will answer as well) give me the

title of the book in full, and copy me the 2 first stanzas? I will be greatly obliged if you can.

I am much in need, also, of Gilfillan's "Sketches of Modern Literature,"—2 vols.—published by Appleton. If you could loan me the work (or the vol. containing the sketch of Emerson) I would take it as a great favor.

I am taking great care of your Irving and Arcturus—but, unless you need them, I should like to keep them some time longer—as I have to make constant reference to them.

Truly yours,
E. A. POE.

Dec. 30. 46.

DEAR DUYCKINCK,

Mrs Clemm mentioned to me, this morning, that some of the Parisian papers had been speaking about my "Murders in the Rue Morgue." She could not give me the details—merely saying that you had told her. The "Murders in the R. M." was spoken of in the Paris "Charivari," soon after the first issue of the tale in Graham's Mag:—April 1841. By the enclosed letter from Stonehaven Scotland, you will see that the "Valdemar Case" still makes a talk, and that a pamphlet edition of it has been published by Short & Co. of London under the title of "Mesmerism in Articulo Mortis." It has fairly gone the rounds of the London Press, commencing with "The Morning Post." The Monthly Record of Science" &c gives it with the title "The Last Days of M. Valdemar. By the author of the Last Conversation of a Somnambule"—(Mesmeric Revelation).

My object in enclosing the Scotch letter and the one from Miss Barrett, is to ask you to do me a favor which (*just at this moment*) may be of great importance. It is, to make a paragraph or two for some one of the city papers, stating the facts here given, in connexion with what you know about the "Murders in the Rue Morgue." If this will not give you too much trouble, I will be deeply obliged. If you think it advisable, there is no objection to your copying any portion of Miss B's letter. Willis or Morris will put in anything you may be kind enough to write; but as "The Home Journal" has already said a good deal about me, some other paper would be preferable.

Truly yours
POE.

FORDHAM,

March 8 [1849].

DEAR SIR,

If you have looked over the Von Kempelen article which I left with your brother, you will have fully perceived its drift. I mean it as a kind of "exercise," or experiment, in the plausible or verisimilar style. Of course, there is *not one* word of truth in it from beginning to end. I thought that such a style, applied to the gold-excitement, could not fail of effect. My sincere opinion is that nine persons

out of ten (even among the best-informed) will *believe* the quiz (provided the design does not leak out before publication) and that thus, acting as a sudden, although of course a very temporary, *check* to the gold-fever, it will create a *stir* to some purpose.

I had prepared the hoax for a Boston weekly called "The Flag" where it will be quite thrown away. The proprietor will give me \$15 for it on presentation to his agent here; and my object in referring the article to you is simply to see if you could not venture to take it for the "World." If so, I am willing to take for it \$10—or, in fact, whatever you think you can afford.

I believe the quiz is the first deliberate literary attempt of the kind on record. In the story of Mrs Veal, we are permitted, now and then, to perceive a tone of *banter*. In "Robinson Crusoe" the design was far more to please, or excite, than to deceive by verisimilitude, in which particular merely, Sir Ed. Seaward's narrative is the more skilful book. In my "Valdemar Case" (which *was* credited by many) I had not the the slightest idea that any person should credit it as anything more than a "Magazine-paper"—but here the whole strength is laid out in verisimilitude.

I am *very* much obliged to you for your reprint of "Ulalume."

Truly Yours,
EDGAR A. POE.

P.S. If you feel the least *shy* about the article, make no hesitation in returning it, of course:—for I willingly admit that it is not a paper which every editor would like to "take the responsibility" of printing—although merely as a contribution with a known name:—but if you decline the quiz, please *do not let out the secret*.

EVERT A. DUYCKINCK, Esq.

CHECK LIST OF GENERAL SERIAL MUNICIPAL DOCUMENTS OF BROOKLYN IN THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY, 31 DECEMBER, 1901.

* * The letters A and L following the titles indicate the location, referring to the Astor and Lenox buildings respectively.

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Brooklyn.

[CHARTER.]

1816.

An act to incorporate and vest certain powers in the freeholders and inhabitants of the village of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings. *Brooklyn: Printed by A. Spooner, 1816. 8 pp. pap. 8°. A*
Imperfect.

1824.

An act, to amend an act, entitled "An Act to incorporate and vest certain powers in the freeholders and inhabitants of the village of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings," and for other purposes. Passed April 9, 1824. *n. t. p. 7 pp. pap. 8°. A*

1825.

An act to incorporate the city of Brooklyn. As reported to an adjourned meeting of the freeholders and inhabitants of the village of Brooklyn, held on November 10, 1825. *Brooklyn: A. Spooner, prtr., 1825. 32 pp. pap. 8°. A*

1827.

An Act to reduce the law, incorporating the Village of Brooklyn, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act, and to amend the same. Passed April 3, 1827. *Brooklyn: Printed by A. Spooner, 1827. 37 (1) pp. pap. 12°. A*

1834.

The charter of the city of Brooklyn, and the laws of the state of New-York, relating particularly to the former village and town of Brooklyn, not repealed by the said charter, and now forming part of the law applicable to the said city, pursuant to the 72d section of the said charter. *Brooklyn, L. I.: Printed by James A. Bennet, 1834. 109 pp. 8°. A*
Bd. with Ordinances of 1834.

1847.

A law to revise and amend the several acts relating to the city of Brooklyn; adopted in convention, assembled in pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed May 10, 1847. *Brooklyn: Lees & Foulkes, prtrs., 1848. 72 pp. pap. 8°. A*

1848.

A law to revise and amend the several acts relating to the city of Brooklyn; adopted in convention, assembled in pursuance of an act of the legislature, passed May 10, 1847. *Brooklyn: Lees & Foulkes, prtrs., 1848. 72 pp. pap. 8°. A*

1849.

City charter. An act to revise and amend the several acts relating to the city of Brooklyn, passed Feb. 19, 1849. [*Brooklyn: I. Van Anden, prtr., 1849.*] 48 pp. pap. 8°. *A*

1850.

New charter of . . . Brooklyn. An act to revise and amend the several acts relating to the city of Brooklyn. Passed April 4th, 1850. [*Brooklyn? 1850.*] 55 pp. pap. 8°. *A*

An act to revise and amend the several acts relating to the city of Brooklyn, passed April 4, 1850. . . . *Brooklyn: E. B. Spooner, prtr., 1850. 62 pp. pap. 8°. A*

An Act to amend "An Act to revise and amend the several Acts relating to the city of Brooklyn," passed April 4, 1850. *n. t. p. 6 pp. 8°. (Bd. with: Charter, 1850.) A*

1851.

Charter of the city of Brooklyn, as revised and amended, April 4, 1850, together with the additional amendments, passed June 9, 1851, and the ordinances of the city. *Brooklyn: Printed by E. B. Spooner, n. d. 239, 224, 6 pp. 8°. A*
— Same. 239, 224 pp. 8°. *A*

1854.

An Act to consolidate the cities of Brooklyn and Williamsburgh and the town of Bushwick into one municipal government, and to incorporate the same. Passed April 17, 1854. *Brooklyn: I. Van Anden's . . . Presses, 1854. 113 pp. 8°. A*
Interleaved copy.

Charter of the city of Brooklyn. Passed April 17, 1854—to take effect Jan. 1, 1855. *Williamsburgh: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs., 1854. 64 pp. 8°. A*

Brooklyn—Charter, Cont'd.**1857.**

The charter of the city of Brooklyn, and the special laws relating thereto; together with the ordinances for the government of the city. *Brooklyn: George C. Bennett*, 1857. 312, iv pp. 8°. A

1873.

Charter of the city of Brooklyn, passed June 28, 1873, with the charter of April 17, 1854, and the acts amendatory of and supplementary thereto, and other general laws relating to said city, together with the ordinances of the common council adopted from time to time by virtue and in pursuance thereof. Compiled by Wm. G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: Daily Union Print*, 1873. 541, xxx, 177 pp. 8°. A

Contains, pp. xxx, a "List of acts of the legislature prior to the consolidation [from 1788 to 1873], including the more important incorporations in or affecting the city;" and "The charter of the city of Brooklyn, as amended June 28, 1873," 177 pp.

1874.

An Act to amend an Act to amend the charter of the city of Brooklyn and the various amendments thereof. *New York: James Sutton & Co.*, 1874. 27 pp. 8°. A

1877.

The charter of Brooklyn of 1854, as amended, and certain special laws relating to the fire limits, board of city works, Prospect Park Commission, local judiciary, excise, board of education and election. Together with a list of acts of the legislature in relation to the city of Brooklyn from 1788 down [to 1877]. *n. l. p.* 266, 15, 36 pp. 8°. (In: Charter of 1877.) A

Charter of the city of Brooklyn, passed June 28, 1873. As subsequently amended with the charter of April 17, 1854, and the amendments thereto, and other laws relating to said city. Also, the ordinances of the Common Council of the city of Brooklyn, as codified and revised Dec. 10, 1877. Compiled by Wm. G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: R. M. Whiting & Co.*, 1877. 326, 266, 15, 36 pp. 8°. A L

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1826.

Laws in relation to the village of Brooklyn. Compiled by order of the trustees of said village, May, 1826. *Brooklyn: Printed by Geo. L. Birch*, 1826. 27 pp. 12°. A

1858.

Laws relating to the city of Brooklyn. Enacted by the legislature of 1857. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1858. 24 pp. pap. 8°. A

1869.

Laws of the state of New York, affecting interests in the city of Brooklyn and county of Kings. Passed by the legislature of 1869. *Brooklyn: Printed by the Standard Press*, 1869. 593 pp. 8°. A

1877.

[Laws of the state of New York, relating to the city of Brooklyn, passed 1877.] *n. l. p.* 557-583 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1877. no. 27.

1878.

Acts of the legislature of 1878 in relation to the city of Brooklyn, being certified copies thereof from the office of the Secretary of State. *n. p.*, n. d. [822-]845 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1878. no. 28.

1879.

Acts of the legislature of 1879 in relation to the city of Brooklyn . . . *n. p.*, n. d. [567-]598 pp. 8°. A

In: Brooklyn. Common Council Docs., 1882. no. 29.

1880.

Acts of the legislature of 1880 in relation to the city of Brooklyn, . . . *n. p.*, n. d. [906-]966 pp. 8°. A

In: Brooklyn. Common Council Docs., 1880. no. 27.

1882.

Acts of the legislature of 1882 in relation to the city of Brooklyn . . . *n. p.*, n. d. [779-]818 pp. 8°. A

In: Brooklyn. Common Council Docs., 1882. no. 34.

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1877.

Annual message of Hon. Frederick A. Schroeder, mayor . . . together with the annual reports of the various departments of the city government. *Brooklyn: Union . . . Printg. Establishment*, 1877. xxiv, 106 pp. pap. 8°. A

— Same, in German. A

1878.

Annual message of the Hon. James Howell, Jr., mayor . . . [for 1878] together with reports of the various departments [for 1877]. *Brooklyn: Printed for the Corporation*, 1878. 103 pp. cl. 8°. A

1879.

Lacking.

1880.

Annual message, etc., [for 1880] together with reports of the several departments for 1879. *Brooklyn*, 1880. 296 pp. cl. 8°. A

1881.

Lacking.

1882.

Annual message of Hon. Seth Low, mayor, . . . [for 1882] together with reports of the several departments for 1881. *Brooklyn*, 1882. 299 pp. bds. 8°. A

1883.

Annual message, etc. [for 1883], together with reports of the several city departments [for 1882]. *Brooklyn*, 1883. 357 pp. bds. 8°. A

1884.

Third annual message of Hon. Seth Low, mayor . . . [for 1884, together with reports of the several departments for 1883]. *Brooklyn*, 1884. 380 pp. bds. 8°. A

1885.

Fourth annual message of Hon. Seth Low, mayor . . . [for 1885, together with reports for 1884]. *Brooklyn*, 1885. 710 pp. bds. 8°. A

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Brooklyn—City Documents, Cont'd.

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First annual message of Hon. D. D. Whitney, mayor, . . . [for 1886] with annual reports of heads of departments . . . [for 1885.] *Brooklyn*, 1886. 799 pp. bds. 8°. A

1887.

Second annual message of Hon. D. D. Whitney, mayor . . . for [1887] with annual reports for 1886. *Brooklyn*, 1887. 722 pp. bds. 8°. A

1888.

Lacking.

1889.

Messages of Hon. Alfred C. Chapin, mayor, . . . [for 1889] with annual reports of heads of departments [for 1888]. *Brooklyn*, 1889. 970 (1) pp. bds. 8°. A

1890.

Messages, etc., [for 1890] with reports [for 1889]. *Brooklyn*, 1890. 732 (1) pp. bds. 8°. A

1891.

Message, etc., [for 1891] with reports [for 1890]. *Brooklyn*, 1891. 772 pp. bds. 8°. A

1892.

First annual message of Hon. David A. Boody, mayor, [for 1892] with annual reports of heads of departments [for 1891]. *Brooklyn*, 1892. 889 pp. bds. 8°. A

1893.

Lacking.

1894.

Message of Hon. Charles A. Schieren, mayor, . . . [for 1894] with annual reports of heads of departments [for 1893]. *Brooklyn*, 1894. 763 pp. bds. 8°. A

1895.

Message, etc., [for 1895] with reports [for 1894]. *Brooklyn*, 1895. 920 pp. 8°. A

1896.

Message of Hon. Frederick W. Wurster, mayor, . . . [for 1896] with annual reports [for 1895]. *Brooklyn*, 1896. 1384 pp. bds. 8°. A

1897.

Message, etc., [for 1897] with reports [for 1896]. *Brooklyn*, 1897. 824 pp. bds. 8°. A

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1851.

Address of Conklin Brush, Esq., mayor of the city of Brooklyn, delivered . . . Jan. 6, 1851. *Brooklyn: E. R. Colston*, 1851. 7 (1) pp. pap. 8°. A

1852.

Address of Conklin Brush, Esq. . . . delivered Jan. 5, 1852. *Brooklyn: Advertiser Print*, 1852. 11 pp. pap. 8°. A

1853.

Communication of Edward A. Lambert, mayor, . . . read Jan. 3, 1853. *Brooklyn: I. Van Anden*, 1853. 16 pp. pap. 8°. A

1854.

Annual message of Edward A. Lambert, mayor, . . . to the common council. Jan. 2, 1854. *Brooklyn: I. Van Anden*, 1854. 21 pp. pap. 8°. A

1855.

Communication of George Hall, mayor . . . to the common council, Jan. 1, 1855. *Brooklyn: Carroll & Co., prtrs.*, 1855. 26 pp. 8°. A

1856.

Annual message of Hon. George Hall, mayor . . . Jan. 9, 1856. *Brooklyn, E. D.: Bishop & Kelly's . . . Presses*, 1856. 40 pp. 8°. A

1857.

Communication of Samuel S. Powell, mayor, . . . read Jan. 5, 1857. *Brooklyn: I. Van Anden's Print*, 1857. 20 pp. pap. 8°. A

1858.

Annual message of the Hon. Samuel S. Powell, mayor . . . delivered May 3, 1858. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1858. 15 pp. pap. 8°. A

1859-1865.

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1866.

Message of Hon. Samuel Booth, mayor . . . delivered Jan. 8, 1866. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1866. 19 pp. pap. 8°. A

1867.

Lacking.

1868.

Message of Martin Kalbfleisch, mayor, . . . to the board of aldermen, Jan. 6, 1868. *Brooklyn: Daily Times Print*, 1868. 12 pp. pap. 8°. A

1869.

Mayor's message [Kalbfleisch] to the Brooklyn Board of Aldermen. Jan. 4, 1869. *Brooklyn: John H. Tobitt, prtr.*, 1869. 16 pp. pap. 8°. A

1870.

Lacking.

1871.

Lacking.

1872.

Message of Hon. Samuel S. Powell, mayor, . . . to the board of aldermen, January, 1872. *Brooklyn: Daily Union . . . Prtg. Establishment*, 1872. 15 pp. pap. 8°. A

1873.

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1874.

Message of Hon. John W. Hunter, mayor, . . . to the board of aldermen, January, 1874. *Brooklyn: Eagle Print*, 1874. 16 pp. pap. 8°. A

1875.

Message, etc., to the common council, Jan. 4, 1875. *Brooklyn: Printed for the Corporation*, 1875. 20 pp. pap. 8°. A

1876.

Annual message of Hon. Frederick A. Schroeder, mayor, . . . to the board of aldermen, Jan. 3, 1876. *Brooklyn: Union . . . Prtg. Establishment*, 1876. 32 pp. pap. 8°. A

Brooklyn—Mayor's Messages—Cont'd.**1877.**

Annual message, etc., Jan. 8, 1877. *n. t. p.* 24 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1877. no. 1.

1878.

Annual message of James Howell, Jr., Jan. 7, 1878. *n. t. p.* 21 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1878. no. 1.

1879.

Annual message, etc. n. d. *n. t. p.* 24 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1879. no. 1.

1880.

Annual message, etc., Jan. 5, 1880. *n. t. p.* 28 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1880. no. 1.

1881.

Jahres-Botschaft des achthb. Mayor Howell, dem Stadtrath unterbreitet, den 3 Januar, 1881. *Brooklyn*, 1881. 22 pp. pap. 8°. A

1882.

Jahres-Botschaft des achthb. Seth Low, Mayors der Stadt Brooklyn, dem Stadtrathe unterbreitet am 3 Januar, 1882. *Brooklyn*, 1882. 18 pp. pap. 8°. A

— Same, in English. *n. t. p.* 21 pp. 8°. A

In: Common Council Docs., 1882. no. 1.

1883.

Annual message of Hon. Seth Low, mayor, . . . presented to the common council, Jan. 8, 1883. *Brooklyn: For the Corporation*, 1883. 32 pp. pap. 8°. A

1884.

Third annual message of Hon. Seth Low, mayor, . . . presented to the common council Jan. 7, 1884. *Brooklyn: Printed for the Corporation*, 1884. 32 pp. pap. 8°. A

— Same, in German. *Brooklyn: Druck der "Frei Presse"*, 1884. 37 pp. pap. 8°. A

1885.

Fourth annual message of Hon. Seth Low, . . . presented Jan. 5, 1885. *Brooklyn: Printed for the Corporation*, 1885. 43 pp. pap. 8°. A

1886.

Erste Jahres-Botschaft des achthb. Daniel D. Whitney, . . . an den achthb. Stadtrath, verlesen am 4. Januar, 1886. *Brooklyn: Gedruckt f. d. Corporation*, 1886. 15 pp. pap. 8°. A

1887.

Zweite Jahres-Botschaft des achthb. Daniel D. Whitney, . . . verlesen am 3. Januar, 1887. *Brooklyn*, 1887. 31 pp. pap. 8°. A

1888.

Erste Jahres-Botschaft des achthb. Alfred C. Chapin . . . verlesen am 3. Januar, 1888. *Brooklyn: Gedruckt f. d. Corporation*, 1888. 14 pp. pap. 8°. A

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1877.

Documents [1-46] addressed to the common council during the year 1877. *Brooklyn: Printed for the Corporation*, 1877. 1259, 471, 7 pp. 8°. A

1878.

Documents. [1-42.] *Brooklyn*, 1878. 1185 pp. 8°. A

1879.

Documents. [1-38.] *Brooklyn*, 1879. 890, 6 pp. 8°. A

1880.

Documents. [1-40.] *Brooklyn*, 1880. 1264, 7 pp. 8°. A

1881.

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1882.

Documents. [1-45.] *Brooklyn*, 1882. 1278, 8 pp. 8°. A

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Manual of the Brooklyn common council, for 1855. Prepared by the city clerk by order of the board [of aldermen]. *Brooklyn: E. B. Spooner, prtr.*, 1855. pp. 1-20. 8°. A
Imperfect (?)

1856.

Manual, etc. *Brooklyn: Bennett & Smith, prtrs.*, n. d. 35 pp. pap. 12°. A

1857.

Manual, etc. *Brooklyn: I. Van Anden, prtr.*, 1857. 108, (2), iii pp. pap. 16°. A
Contains "Census of the city of Brooklyn and county of Kings, from 1830 to 1855."

1858-9.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: George C. Bennett, prtr.*, 1858. (1), 200 pp. 1 pl., 1 map. lea. 8°. A
Cut of Ridgewood Reservoir, Engine House; and map showing the line of the Brooklyn water works, 1858.

1859-60.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: George C. Bennett*, 1859. 375 pp. 1 diagr., 1 map. lea. 8°. A
Map showing the line of the Brooklyn water works, 1859.

1860-1.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: George C. Bennett, prtr.*, 1860. 333 pp. 1 diagr. cl. 8°. A

1861-2.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: George C. Bennett, prtr.*, 1861. 544, 23 pp. 1 diagr., 1 facs., 1 map. lea. 8°. A

Hooker's map of the village of Brooklyn in 1827; Charter of 1854; Acts of the legislature passed 1861, relating to Brooklyn; list of members of the councils of Brooklyn from 1671-1833; mayors and aldermen from 1834 to 1861; historical summaries, with names of members of city governments of Williamsburgh and Bushwick.

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1863.

Manual, etc. Compiled by Henry McCloskey, city clerk. *Brooklyn: Isaac Van Anden, prtr.*, 1863. 400, (1), v, 21 pp. 1 por., 1 diagr., 1 facs. cl. 8°. A L

Portrait of Mayor Kalbfleisch; early patents and settlements of Brooklyn by Teunis G. Bergen.

1864.

Manual, etc. Compiled by Henry McCloskey, city clerk. *Brooklyn: A. Brown & Co.*, 1864. 416, 38, iii, ii, (1) pp. pls., maps, lithographs, etc. cl. 8°. A L

Portrait of Mayor Wood; map of the consolidated city of Brooklyn, 1864; facs. of Nicolls grant; facs. of ancient map showing the Bergen lands; plan of village of Brooklyn and part of Long Is., 1766; drawing of old Reformed Dutch church, 1776; do. of church in Bushwick, built in 1711; 5 colored folding lithograph views of the Sanitary Fair held in 1864.

1865.

Manual, etc. Compiled by Henry McCloskey, city clerk. *Brooklyn*, 1865. 550, xv, vii, pp. maps., pls., facs. lea. 8°. A L

Por. of Mayor Wood; map of consolidated city of Brooklyn, 1865; colored folding lithograph of Brooklyn water front in 1840; "plan of New York Is. with part of Long Is., Staten Is. & East New Jersey, with a particular description of the engagement on the Woody Heights of Long Is., between Flatbush and Brooklyn, Aug. 27, 1776"; colored folding lithograph of Labon's Inn, Brooklyn, 1853; colored full-length lithograph of Jacob Patchen; medallion portrait of Augustus Graham; medallion portrait with facs. a. s. of Cornelius Heeney.

1866.

Manual, etc. Title-page lacking. 486 pp. diagr., pors. cl. 8°. A L

Portraits of members of Board of Aldermen.

1867.

Manual, etc. Compiled by Henry McCloskey, city clerk. *Brooklyn*, 1867. 470, (1), ii pp. map, pls. cl. 8°. A L

Map of the consolidated city of Brooklyn, 1867; portrait of Mayor Booth; colored lithograph of Presbyterian church at Jamaica; do. of the Suydam house, built 1700; do. of Battle Pass, L. I., 1766; do. 1866; colored folding lithograph of Old Bull's Head inn, 1842; colored lithograph of Denyse's ferry.

1868.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn*, 1868. 483 pp. map, plans, pls. cl. 8°. A L

Map of the consolidated city of Brooklyn, 1868; portrait of Mayor Kalbfleisch; plan of proposed Prospect Park; plan of King's Co. parade ground; plan of Washington Park; colored lithograph of Bushwick town house, 1800; do. of Luqueer's mill; colored folding lithograph of Howard's Inn, 1776.

1869.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn*, 1869. 523 pp. pls., map. cl. 8°. A

Map of Brooklyn, 1869; design for Prospect Park; list of baptisms in the Reformed Dutch Church of Brooklyn, copied by T. G. Bergen; colored lithograph of grand stand in Prospect Park; do. of Mercantile Library.

1870.

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1871.

Manual, etc. Compiled by William G. Bishop, city clerk. *Brooklyn: Brooklyn Daily Times Print*, 1871. 395 pp. map, pls. cl. 8°. A

Map of Brooklyn; designs for Prospect and Tompkins parks; colored lithographs of Oceanus assn. clubhouse and of Fulton Ferry in 1740.

1872-1884.

Lacking.

1885.

Manual of the common council city of Brooklyn. *New York: Jordan Stationery Co., prtrs.*, 1885. 152, viii pp. pap. 24°. A

1886-1887.

Lacking.

1888.

Manual, etc. *New York: Jordan Prtg. and Stationery Co.*, 1888. 220, xi pp. cl. 24°. A

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1854.

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v. 2. July 1 [10], 1854, to Jan. 1, 1855 [i. e. Dec. 29, 1854]. *Brooklyn: I. Van Anden's Steam Press*, 1854. 497, 176 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen; Index.

1855/6.

v. 1. Jan. 1 to April 1 [i. e. Mch. 30]. *Brooklyn, E. D.: Bishop & Kelly's Presses*, 1855. 906, 91 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 906 pp.; Index, 91 pp.

v. 2, and subsequent vols. Lacking.

1856/7.

v. 1. Jan. 3 to April 1 [i. e. Mch. 31]. *Brooklyn, E. D.: Bishop & Kelly's . . . Presses*, 1856. 744, 81 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 744 pp.; Index, 81 pp.

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v. 3. July 1 [7] to Jan. 2. v. p. 8°.

Proc. board aldermen, 1052 pp.; Minutes joint board aldermen and supervisors, 1856, 75 pp.; Index, 184 pp.

1857.

v. 1. Jan. 5 to April 2. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1857. 801, 69 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 801 pp.; Index, 69 pp.

v. 2. April 6 to July 30. 1175, 137 pp. 8°.

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v. 3. Sept. 21 to Dec. 28. 760, 122, 128 pp. 8°. A

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1858.

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v. 2. March 12 to April 30. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1858. 509, 35 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 509 pp.; Index, 35 pp.

v. 3. May 3 to July 19. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 596 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, 84 pp.; Index, 79 pp.

v. 4. Aug. 17 to Dec. 27. 819, 99 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 819 pp.; Index, 99 pp.

1859.

v. 1. Jan. 3 to April 29. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1859. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 1092 pp.; Ann. report of comptroller for 1858, 84 pp.; Index, 80 pp.

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Proc. board aldermen, 544 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, 189 pp.; Index, 73 pp.

v. 3. Sept. 12 to Dec. 27. 802, 193 pp. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 802 pp.; Index, 193 pp.

1860.

v. 1. Jan. 3 to May 5. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son*, 1860. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 1208 pp.; Proc. in secret sess. March 26, 1860, 3 pp.; Index, 127 pp.

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Proc. board aldermen, 855 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, 160 pp.; Index, 178 pp. 8°.

v. 3. Aug. 13 to Dec. 27. 843, 232 pp. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 843 pp.; Index, 232 pp.

1861.

v. 1. Jan. 7 to Feb. 25. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1861. 563, 113 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 563 pp.; Index, 113 pp.

v. 2. March 4 to May 4. 572, 116 pp. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 572 pp.; Index, 116 pp.

v. 3. May 6 to July 29, 1861. v. p. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 550 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, 103 pp.; Index, 172 pp.

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Proc. board aldermen, 779 pp.; Minutes adjd. sess. board of canvassers, 1861, pp. 781-848; Index, 225 pp.

1862.

v. 1. Jan. 6 to Feb. 24. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son*, 1862. 647, 90 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 647 pp.; Index, 90 pp.

v. 2. March 3 to May 12. 418, 80 pp. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 418 pp.; Index, 80 pp.

v. 3. May 19 to Aug. 29. v. p. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 382 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, 107 pp.; Index, 99 pp.

v. 4. Sept. 22 to Dec. 31. 688, 212 pp. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 688 pp.; Index, 212 pp.

1863.

v. 1. Jan. 5 to March 30. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1863. 773, 83 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 773 pp.; Index, 83 pp.

v. 2. April 6 to Aug. 10. v. p. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 835 pp.; Ann. report comptroller, 1862, 94 pp.; Index, 108 pp.

v. 3. Aug. 19 to Oct. 14. v. p. 8°. A
Index, 91 pp.; Proc. board aldermen, 909 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, 90 pp.

v. 4. Oct. 17 to Dec. 31. *Brooklyn: Bergen & Tripp*, 1864. 799, 207 pp. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 799 pp.; Report special committee board of canvassers, 207 pp.

1864.

v. 1. Jan. 4 to March 28. *Brooklyn: Bergen & Tripp*, 1864. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 653 pp.; Index, 157 pp.; Ann. report Fire Dept. W. D., 1863, and 4th ann. report Nassau Water Dept. for 1863, 137 pp.

v. 2. April 4 to June 6. v. p. 8°. A
Proc. board aldermen, 664 pp.; Ann. report Fire Dept. E. D., 1863, 87 pp.; Ann. report comptroller for 1863, 74 pp.; Minutes joint board of aldermen and supervisors, pp. [81]-161; Semi-ann. report Nassau Water Dept., Jan.-July, 1864, pp. 165-180; Index, 114 pp.

v. 3. June 13 to Sept. 19. 569 pp. 8°. A

v. 4. Sept. 26 to Dec. 31 [Jan. 2, 1865].
Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs., 1865. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 594 pp.; Minutes adjd. sess. board of canvassers, Dec. 6, 1864, 247 pp.; Index, 146 pp.

1865.

v. 1. Jan. 2 to March 15. *Brooklyn: L. Darbee & Son, prtrs.*, 1865. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 437 pp.; 5th ann. report Fire Dept. W. D., 117 pp.; Ann. report Fire Dept. W. D., 1864, pp. 119-195; 7th ann. report Supt. Juvenile House of Industry, pp. 197-219; Ann. report Fire Dept. E. D., 1864, pp. 221-281; Index, 121 pp.

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1866.

v. 1. Jan. 1st to June 11 [should read March 26].
Brooklyn: Standard Steam Presses, 1866. v. p. 8°. A

Proc. board aldermen, 543 pp.; 6th ann. report Nassau Water Dept., 1865; and Ann. report Fire Dept. W. D., 1865, pp. 65-139; Ann. report, comptroller for 1865, pp. 141-207; Index, 147 pp.

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CALENDAR OF THE BARBOUR PAPERS, 1811-1841.

The Barbour Papers, purchased by the New York Public Library in 1897, consist mainly of letters to James Barbour (governor of Virginia, senator, secretary of war, and minister to England) from men prominent in American politics between 1811 and 1841. A few letters by Barbour have been added, from the Ford collection. The collection includes also family letters and other private papers, but only letters that relate to public affairs are included in this calendar. The arrangement is chronological, with an alphabetical list of writers at the end.

Johnson (Richard Mentor). Washington, Dec. 9, 1811. To James Barbour, Richmond, Va. He regrets the defeat of Barbour in the election for governor of Virginia, but reminds him of his growing popularity and advises him not to retire; the debate on war or submission is to begin this day; war spirit in the house; before they adjourn, war measures will be adopted, that is, letters of marque and taking the Canadas; they have found difficulty in fixing the ratio of representation, but will probably compromise on 33,000. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Jefferson (Thomas). Monticello, [Va.,] Jan. 22, 1812. To Gov. [James] Barbour. In answer to the question whether in case of a division of council the practise was for the governor to give the deciding vote, he answers that the governor is not a counsellor and his vote can make no part of an advice of council; however, when council is divided, the governor is free to act on his own responsibility; otherwise government would stand still, and delay in executive functions may be ruinous. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Printed in *Writings of Jefferson*, vol. 6 (N. Y., 1855) p. 38; and in Ford's *Writings of Jefferson*, vol. 9 (N. Y., 1898) p. 334.

Duane (William). Philadelphia, Feb. 24, 1813. To Gov. [James] Barbour. Recommends the use of the torpedo for the defence of Virginian waters; will forward Fulton's pamphlet with drawings on the subject; as the naval gentlemen are jealous of a professional rival, the experiment might be tried in their absence, with local craft and watermen; in the spring the British will probably pass up to their old ground at Yorktown; Fulton has some of the machines in preparation, and if the British do not blockade their own friends in New York and Boston, these might well be used in clearing the Chesapeake; the measure should be conducted without the knowledge of the general government, for fear of spies at Washington; the honor of the state would then be a glorious contrast with the traitorous course pursued eastward. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Duane (William). Philadelphia, Mar. 10, 1813. To James Barbour, Richmond, Va. Alludes to a former letter on the subject of torpedoes; he wrote to Fulton at the same time, and encloses the latter's reply; it is important to make a striking example of some one ship of the enemy; he recommends that a corps of watermen be formed in the Chesapeake, with a fleet of shallops, ostensibly for preventing smuggling and the supply of provisions to the enemy; the torpedo might then be introduced with-

out *éclat* or warning; the U. S. government would contribute arms and ammunition, though perhaps it might not countenance the plan at first, because of the too prevalent state jealousies. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Madison (James). Washington, June 16, 1814. To Gov. [James] Barbour. In answer to a letter of the 13th inst. he says that late events in Europe put it in the power of Great Britain to direct a greater force against the United States; they cannot rely on her being restrained by an estimate of her own interest in making peace, or by respect for the sentiments of her allies; to meet the threatened invasion the regular troops will be used as far as they go, the deficiency must be supplied by militia; the strength and destination of the enemy being unknown, an immediate call for the militia would have certain disadvantages; those states that have military means of their own will use them as they think best. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Printed in *Letters and Writings of Madison*, vol. 2 (Phila., 1865) p. 583.

Monroe (James). Washington, Oct. 26, 1814. [To James Barbour.] Encloses a copy of his report to the committees of congress in order to show the views of the executive respecting the measures proper to be adopted for the defence of the seaboard, and for offensive operations elsewhere; it is a delicate question how far the number required in this plan might be lessened in expectation that a part of the force would be raised by the individual states; if one state were allowed to raise troops with that understanding, others and all might claim the privilege, and some states might fail in raising men, or might not even try; however, such forces would certainly be superior to the militia, and in case the invasion of a state made necessary a call for the militia, the offer of such a force as a substitute would gladly be accepted; the enclosed paper is communicated in confidence, but may be shown to proper friends. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 l. 4°.

Giles (William Branch). Washington, Nov. 20, 1814. To James Barbour. He thanks Barbour for his aid in repelling the unmerited attacks of deluded partisans, and congratulates him on his election to the senate, wishing that they might have had his counsel there before, to avert some portion of the evils that have befallen the country; he purposes to resign after March 4, unless impelled to serve out the term by outrage and injustice. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Bernard (Simon), *Baron*. Paris, Nov. 10, 1815. To Henry Jackson, chargé d'affaires of the United States at Paris. Sends the letter written to the secretary of war of the United States, and adds a recommendation of himself by Gen. La Fayette; he regrets the absence from Paris of M. Carnot, who as governor of Antwerp in 1814 was in a situation to judge of the great works executed by him there; will arrange his affairs while awaiting the reply of the secretary. Translation in the handwriting of W. H. Crawford, signed by him. 2 pp. 4°.

Enclosed in Crawford's letter to Barbour of Apr. 9, 1816.

Barbour (James). Washington, Dec. 5, 1815. To James Barbour, Jr., Cambridge [Mass.]. Encloses the president's message; it is pronounced by all parties one of the happiest efforts of Madison's mind. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Roane (Spencer). Richmond, [Va.,] Jan. 4, 1815 [*i. e.* 1816]. To James Barbour, Washington. The legislature on the preceding day appointed Gen. [Armistead Thomson] Mason to be Barbour's colleague in the senate; the legislature is besieged by deputies from various unchartered banks in the upper country, praying for charters; dreadful state of the banks at Richmond; if congress had the power, a national bank or a national currency ought to be established; inquires as to the proposed naval depot in York River; Mr. Hay's speech on the mandate question is in the *Enquirer* of this day; public opinion, including that of Jefferson, favors the decision of the court; he thinks congress must act on the question, for the 25th section of the judicial act can never be enforced in Virginia. A. L. S. 2 pp. and 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

Swift (Joseph Gardner). Washington, Jan. 6, 1816. To William H. Crawford, Sec. of War. Recommends an increase in the number of officers of the engineer corps by the addition of one lieutenant colonel, two majors, six captains, and twenty lieutenants, the grade of second lieutenant to be abolished; such an increase necessary for the construction of proposed new fortifications, as well as for repair of old ones, coast survey, and other engineering work. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Enclosed in Crawford's letter to Barbour of Apr. 9, 1816.

Roberdeau (Isaac), and **Anderson** (James). Washington, Jan. 15, 1816. Memoir to the secretary of war, pointing out the value and usefulness of the topographical department; they presented to Gen. Swift partial reports on their own surveys of the Champlain frontier, the Cadaraqui, Lake Ontario, and Niagara during the past year; their field notes are ample, requiring only time for perfect arrangement; they recommend a complete survey of the frontiers of the United States, a work which, together with the survey of the sea-coast and the establishment of the Canadian boundary, could best be done by a corps of topographical engineers. Copy, in the handwriting of Roberdeau, signed by him. 7 pp. 4°.

Enclosed in Roberdeau's letter to Barbour of Feb. 2, 1816.

Roberdeau (Isaac). Washington, Feb. 2, 1816. To James Barbour, chairman of the committee of senate on military affairs. Encloses copy of a memoir lately presented to the secretary of war on the subject of the topographical department; detached drawings and separate reports on the most

important places on Champlain, Ontario, and Niagara had also been presented to the secretary; Maj. [John] Anderson and himself ask permission to exhibit these to Barbour. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Barbour (James), and *others*. Washington, Feb. 9, 1816. [To the Virginia Legislature.] On arriving here they supposed that Monroe would receive the undivided support of the republican party, but they find that serious dissensions are likely to ensue; Crawford's friends assert that he has a majority in congress; believing that the purpose of a caucus is to give concert to public opinion and not to attempt to influence it, and believing that the people desire to elect Monroe, they have resolved to refuse a caucus if Crawford is pressed; in a caucus, New York would throw her weight against them, though it is doubtful whether a single republican elector can be elected in that state; also, Vermont, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts are now represented by federalists who would be excluded from caucus, although all those states will probably choose republican electors; they therefore advise that the legislature recommend such persons for electors as will conform to the wishes of the state, postponing their action however until the close of the session; this letter is intended for republican friends only. A. L. S. Signed also, Armistead T. Mason, James Pleasants jr., Tho: Newton, Wm. H. Roane, Hugh Nelson. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Roane (Spencer). Richmond, [Va.,] Feb. 12, 1816. To James Barbour, Washington. Acknowledges letter enclosing Barbour's speech [on the act to regulate commerce according to the convention of 1815]; he has differed with Barbour on this subject ever since 1795, when the opposite doctrine was the one generally held by republicans; he considers it dangerous to expound the constitution in such a way as to extend the treaty-making power; as for confidence in the president and senate, Burr came near being president, and Gunn, Dayton & Co. were senators; the republicans in the legislature will have a caucus to nominate electors; the opinion here will prevail, to run Monroe, whatever is done at Washington, unless it would endanger the cause and bring in a federalist; he has just been approached on the subject of making Jefferson an elector. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Jefferson (Thomas). Monticello, [Va.,] Mar. 5, 1816. To James Barbour, Barbourville, Orange [Va.]. Sends certain seeds and plants, with directions and description. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Nicholas (Wilson Cary). Richmond, [Va.,] Mar. 16, 1816. To the Senators and Representatives from Virginia in Congress. In compliance with enclosed resolutions of the general assembly, he has asked the attention of the president and governors of states interested in the matter to the protection of Chesapeake Bay in time of war; it is now possible for a small hostile force to cut off commerce, and gain admission to the heart of the country, as was experienced in the late war; considering the bulk of produce involved, and the weight of population, there is no object more important to the United States; it would be most desirable to fortify the Capes of Virginia; if this be

impracticable, the lowest position on the bay that affords a good harbor should be fortified. L. S. 3 pp., and 1 leaf with copy of resolutions. 4°.

Crawford (William Harris). War Department, [Washington,] Apr. 9, 1816. To James Barbour, chairman of the military committee. Transmits papers, including a report by Gen. Swift of the corps of engineers; the General is anxious that provision be made for one or more of the able engineers now obtainable in France; Bernard, though a major general, would probably accept an appointment as brigadier; it would be taxing Gen. Swift's patriotism too highly to suppose that he would solicit the appointment of another over his own head; two brigadiers will therefore be necessary in the corps, in order to secure Gen. Swift's present rights, and at the same time obtain for the country the services desired in the important fortifications to be undertaken; the recommendation for abolishing the grade of second lieutenant in the corps is reasonable. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Lee (Roswell). U. States Armory, Springfield, Mass., Apr. 16, 1816. Report on the Springfield Arsenal, describing the buildings and machinery, and stating the number of men employed and the quantity of muskets manufactured. D. S. 2 pp. F°.

Jefferson (Thomas). Monticello, [Va.,] Jan. 19, 1817. To James Barbour, Washington. Having an intimate acquaintance with Col. Trumbull, he can bear witness to his worth as a man and a painter; in Europe, Trumbull was considered superior to West; Baron Grimm gave him the preference, and came often to Jefferson's house in Paris to see his works; in England, West was preferred by the king, and others followed suit; it is desirable that Trumbull's paintings should be retained in this country. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Barbour (James). Senate Chamber, [Washington,] Mar. 3, 1817. To [Henry] Clay, Speaker of the House of Reps. Concerning the proposed occupation of the chamber of the house by the senate in order to attend the inauguration of the president, and the view expressed by Clay, in conversation, that such occupation would be an assumption and any order of the senate for arrangement of the furniture inadmissible; the views of the senate committee are essentially different. L. S. 1 page. 4°.

Clay (Henry). House of Representatives, [Washington,] Mar. 3, 1817. To James Barbour. The senate has no right to regulate the hall of the house of representatives, or to arrange the furniture thereof, or introduce other furniture without the concurrence of the house; at the same time the house would be pleased to have the senate attend in the hall next day during the inauguration, when the furniture of the hall will be quite at their service. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Monroe (James). [Washington,] Mar. 3, 1817. To James Barbour. He hopes that the law respecting the claim of Georgia, on account of her land cession, may pass this night, as the continuance of Mr. C. [Crawford?] in the administration depends on it. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Barbour's reply is calendared as E.M. 14998.

King (Rufus). Jamaica, L. I., Aug. 18, 1818. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Va. Public opinion in New York and the east will support the measures of the last session concerning navigation; the reunion of public opinion on this subject will have happy results for the country; they have little to hope from concessions by England; industry must be protected by cautious regulations, such as the navigation law, which closes the ports against Nova Scotia and New Brunswick in spite of England's device of a free port law respecting those colonies; it may become necessary to suspend trade with Bermuda and the Bahamas. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Preston (John). Richmond, [Va.,] Dec. 14, 1818. [To James Barbour?] Concerning the bill before the senate for erecting a judicial district on the western waters, the delegates from the western section in the Virginia legislature concur in recommending that the boundaries of the counties should be followed, rather than the natural boundaries proposed in the bill, as the summit of the Allegany is equivocal in many parts, with much interlocking of the heads of watercourses, whereas the county lines are well determined, either by actual running, or by strong natural features. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Ritchie (Thomas). Richmond, [Va.,] Jan. 4, 1819. To James Barbour, Washington. He had already put to press Madison's Report before it was ordered by the house of delegates; description of the work; they are all waiting with anxiety for the coming on of the Missouri question; asks if the Florida project is defunct; he has received a MS from one of the ablest heads of Virginia, a '98 man, entitled *Construction construed, and State Rights defended*; thus the spirit moves. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Brockenbrough (William). Richmond, [Va.,] Jan. 25, 1819. [To James Barbour, Washington.] Acknowledges copy of Barbour's speech on the new judiciary bill, and agrees with him in thinking that the judges of the supreme court ought to be exclusively judges of that court, and that the judges of the district courts of the U. S. ought to be and are able to perform all the duties of the present circuit courts; he does not see the necessity for additional judges, and this great increase of executive patronage ought to be avoided; he hopes they may not live to see all the powers of government converging to the executive vortex. A. L. S. 4 pp. 8°.

Roane (Spencer). Richmond, [Va.,] Jan. 30, 1819. To James Barbour, Washington. He agrees with Barbour's course on the judiciary bill and the proposed amendment to the constitution; while he would support the federal judiciary in all its legitimate objects, he would not set up a batch of courts strong enough to withdraw from the state courts their proper powers, nor would he reproduce the horde of judges which in the days of Adams was so abhorrent to the American people. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

Roane (Spencer). Richmond, [Va.,] Feb. 16, 1819. To James Barbour, Washington. Though he was one of those who did not see that congress possessed the power to establish the bank, he now concurs in the necessity of supporting it, as general distress would follow its arrest or even the too hasty winding up of its affairs; a memorial has been

drawn up here, on the subject, and will be forwarded; with respect to [Andrew] Jackson, while his conduct was violent and irregular to say the least, his enormities were perhaps inseparable from that boldness of character which had made him so useful. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Crawford (William Harris). Washington, Sept. 18, 1819. To James Barbour. He regrets that owing to the state of finances and the absence of other heads of departments, his duties as secretary of the treasury will prevent him from visiting Barbour in Orange; he has no intention, as seems to be feared, of assailing the state banks; discusses at length the subject of the currency and the contest between the bullionists and the antibullionists; an inconvertible paper currency might be devised, more uniform in value than one convertible into coin; tendency of specie to appreciate, owing to growth of population; other factors in the case; discussion of the affairs of the Bank as affecting the country at large. A. L. S. 16 pp. 4°.

Monroe (James). [Washington,] Feb. 3, 1820. [To James Barbour.] He has reflected on Barbour's statement of the day before, that they would have a majority of only one vote on the question of making the admission of Maine dependent on the admission of Missouri without restriction; he thinks the best course for the Union and for the southern states would be to separate the two questions and admit Maine; this could be done with honor, and with advantage to the object desired, that is, the unqualified admission of Missouri; he advises the southern members to say that they had acted in self defense, to save the constitution and the peace of their country, but that they had now resolved on a different course, and, in view of the patriotism of Maine, and the distressing dilemma of those eastern members who, in order to save the constitution, had voted with them against their own constituents, they would admit Maine and leave the question of Missouri to rest on its own merits; this course would put the southern members on high ground, and would secure a better result in the end. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Tucker (Henry St. George). Battail's, 11 miles above Fredericksburg, [Va.,] Feb. 11, 1820. To James Barbour, Washington. He cannot describe the sensation in Richmond over the intelligence conveyed in Barbour's letter; a compromise that gives up the fairest portion of the western territory can never be grateful to them; if it is done to secure admission to Missouri, better that she should wait; if it is for fear that the president may lose his election, they are unwilling to purchase his services at the price of the rights of the south; the caucus adjourned accordingly; he trusts they will be able to find some man not committed to their foes, the northern politicians; asks whether [Langdon] Cheves might be looked to in such an event; Monroe must either retain his southern friends, or exchange them for those of the north. A. L. S. 2 pp. F°.

Madison (James). Montpelier, [Va.,] Feb. 14, 1820. [To James Barbour? Washington?] Acknowledges letter of the 10th, which states that there is a decided majority in one house against the unrestricted admission of Missouri, and a majority in both for applying the restriction to all

territories west of the Mississippi, but that in a spirit of compromise Missouri will be admitted without restriction, and the restriction as to territories will be confined to the space north of latitude 36° 30'; between these alternatives, he thinks the latter is preferable as a lesser evil, to those who regard both as evils; but since the advocates of restriction yield the principle by such a partition, he asks why in equity the partition should not correspond with the estimated proportions in which the common property was paid for by the two kinds of owners. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Crittenden (John Jordan). Frankfort, [Ky.,] Apr. 3, 1820. To James Barbour, Washington. He hopes to get a favorable decision for Barbour in his suit for lands in this state; regrets his own absence from Congress during the debate on the Missouri question, when he would have wished to take his part in the great battle fought for the constitution; as soon as he can make \$50,000 he will again be a candidate for the senate. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

United States.—Senate. Nov. 20, 1820. Order appointing [James] Barbour, [Nathaniel] Macon, [James] Brown, [William] Hunter, and [Rufus] King to be the committee on foreign relations. A. D. S., Charles Cutts secy. 1 page. F°.

Crawford (William Harris). Washington, July 25, 1821. To James Barbour. The French negotiation is not finally broken off, but it cannot succeed in any one point; he fears the development of a hostile spirit between the two countries; and some act of retaliation by France for the supposed indignity to her flag in the case of the *Apollo*. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Ritchie (Thomas). Richmond, [Va.,] May 21, 1823. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange [Va.]. He has been so much gorged with mere trash on the presidential election that he entreats Barbour to execute his design of addressing the people on the merits of W. H. C[rawford]. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Monroe (James). Washington, June 14, 1823. [To James Barbour.] Encloses a letter from S. Gouverneur written to ascertain the allegations made against the appointment of Mr. Prevost as chargé d'affaires to Peru; he has great difficulty in filling the vacancy occasioned in the supreme court by the death of [Henry Brockholst] Livingston; [Smith] Thompson declines it, for fear of injury to his health; objections to some of the other names proposed. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Duval (William P.). St. Augustine, [Fla.,] Aug. 12, 1823. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange, Va. Acknowledges letter of June 13 by E. Macon; the latter distinguished himself in a murder trial the day after his arrival, triumphing over an old and cunning lawyer; he will befriend Macon, whose principles are purely those of Virginia; he has had some trouble and abuse in this territory; the people have always been with him, but the Yankees, whom he cannot trust with small appointments, have slandered him; New York has sent her worst spawn to this territory; the northern men are much enraged at the influence of Virginia. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Van Buren (Martin). Albany, [N. Y.,] Oct. 9, 1823. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Va.

The delegation is so scattered that he cannot say what their feelings would probably be on the question of a clerk, but doubts whether they would be inclined for a change; he is gratified by the expectation that Barbour and himself will be on the same side in the coming contest. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Hay (George). Washington, Nov. 22, 1823. To James Barbour, Orange Co., Va. He understands that at the close of the last session of the senate, the members were disposed to dismiss their secretary; a proposition directing a biennial election of secretary was brought forward; if the place becomes vacant, he should like to be appointed; the office is totally unconnected with the president, and he would have time during the recess to accomplish a purposed work on constitutional law. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

Madison (James). Montpelier, [Va.,] Dec. 5, 1823. To James Barbour. The message of the president indicates the sentiments of the country with respect to cooperation with Great Britain against the resubjugation of South America by the allied powers; resolutions by Congress would also be of avail; they should move hand in hand with Great Britain in awing the powers into forbearance; failing in that, they must then use means which cannot fail; this hemisphere must be protected from the doctrines and despotisms of the other. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Printed in *Letters and Writings of Madison*, vol. 3 (Phila., 1865) p. 350.

Tyler (John). Richmond, [Va.,] Jan. 5, 1824. To James Barbour, Washington. He knows not how to account for the vote rejecting the resolutions recommending congress to hold a caucus for naming a presidential candidate; men whom he had trusted deserted him in the hour of trial, nor is [Thomas] Ritchie blameless; a caucus is to be held this night; he fears it will break up in confusion; writing later he says that they went into caucus and came out triumphantly with only four negatives; Virginia stands erect once more. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Monroe (James). [Washington,] Mar. 14, 1824. [To James Barbour.] He is greatly surprised by the insulting and reproachful terms addressed to him in the paper from the senators and representatives of Georgia; the address to the Cherokee chiefs now here was drawn up by himself and read to [John] Elliot and [John] Forsyth, who seemed to approve it; their comments are therefore the more inconsistent; he has lost no opportunity of pressing cessions from the tribes within the state, and with good effect; he desires to have this paper shown to Crawford, who, as he thinks, knew nothing of the proceeding, with a view to having it withdrawn; if submitted to congress with the other papers, the sentiments relating to the Indians, urging the right and obligation of the United States to drive them from the country, would hurt the feelings of the whole Union. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Monroe (James). Washington, Mar. 16, 1824. To James Barbour. He will send a message to congress, in compliance with the wishes of the executive of Georgia, to bring under consideration that state's desire for a further cession from the

Creeks; he wishes Barbour to see Crawford on the subject of withdrawing the offensive letter of the Georgia representatives; if not withdrawn, he must submit it to congress with the other documents. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Pleasants (James). Richmond, [Va.,] Mar. 25, 1824. To James Barbour and John Taylor, U. S. Senate, Washington. He forwards the required information respecting Virginia's claim for interest on money advanced to the general government during the late war; the auditor prepared the accounts; Chapman Johnson added thereto a statement presenting the case and recommending that it be adjusted without the passage of a law. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

The papers referred to are printed in *Calendar of Virginia State Papers*, vol. 10, p. 506.

Harrison (William Henry). Cincinnati, Apr. 18, 1824. To James Barbour. He deeply regrets the divisions in the democratic party; though opposed to caucus nominations, he has never ceased to vindicate the men who composed that recently held at Washington, as well as the nominee [Crawford], from the uproar raised against them; the people of Ohio are so strongly against Crawford, that if chosen an elector he could not rightly vote for the latter, even if his own favorite candidate, Clay, were to withdraw; however, if Clay withdrew before the election for electors, Harrison would be willing to offer himself as a Crawford candidate; he inquires what the course of Crawford's friends in Virginia will be if they find that the vote of New York will not be in his favor; if they persevere for Crawford, they run the risk of elevating Adams or Jackson; the latter has considerable strength in this state; his supporters appeal to the passions of the people, hence the difficulty of arresting their progress. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Jefferson (Thomas). Monticello, [Va.,] May 2, 1824. To James Barbour, Washington. The government could not take into its employ a man of more integrity than Cathcart; while consul on the Barbary coast immense sums passed through his hands; inquires what may be expected as to the \$50,000 for the University; if they get it, they can open splendidly Feb. 1; if not they must start without books or apparatus. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Gales (Joseph), and **Seaton** (William Winston). Washington, Oct. 17, 1824. To James Barbour. Gallatin has authorised them to withdraw his name from the contest for the vice presidency; this will be done as soon as they hear from Richmond as to a substitute; they suppose Clay will be named as more acceptable to the people than Gallatin or any other; he may decline to serve; if so, his refusal will be too late to affect the elections, and it will then be time enough to offer another candidate to the electors. L. S., Gales & Seaton. 1 page. 4°.

Barbour (James). Richmond, [Va.,] Dec. 1, 1824. To Gales and Seaton, Washington. The electoral college voted unanimously for Wm. H. Crawford for president and Nathaniel Macon for vice president; a vacancy having been made known to the legislature the day before, Col. Wyatt was elected as a Crawford man, with but three negatives. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

Hall (Bolling). Ellerslie; Montgomery Co., Ala., July 15, 1825. To James Barbour. In the matter of the unfortunate collision between the general government and the governors of South Carolina and Georgia, he thinks the citizens of those states would make any sacrifice for harmony, also that any invasion of their constitutional rights has been through inadvertence; the opinion of the attorney general on the law of South Carolina that prohibits the introduction of free persons of color, saps the foundation of state rights; he blames the Indian agent, Crowell, for insulting the people of Georgia in regard to their election of Gov. Troup, and for making no exertions to carry out the president's views and prepare the Indian chiefs to cede their lands; furthermore, he holds Crowell responsible for the murder of [William] McIntosh, the friendly chief. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Adams (John Quincy). Aug. 31, 1825. To James Barbour.

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Clay (Henry). Lexington, [Ky.], July 17, 1826. To [James] Barbour. Forwards a letter from Mr. Sloane respecting the survey of a proposed road; they have just heard of the death of Jefferson; all must be pleased that it happened on the day it did. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

Adams (John Quincy). Quincy, [Mass.], July 26, 1826. [To James Barbour.] Transmits a letter from R. H. Wilde and John Moore, with certain resolutions of the inhabitants of Summerville, near Augusta, Ga., and a remonstrance against the removal to their vicinity of the U. S. arsenal; respecting the subscription made at Washington July 4 for the benefit of [Thomas] Jefferson, he desires that his part may be transmitted to Jefferson's daughter, Mrs. Randolph, for her own use. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

Brown (Jacob). H. Q. Saratoga, [N. Y.], Aug. 13, 1827. To James Barbour [*i.e.* Barbour]. His tour was a happy one, and he found the army in all respects as well as he had expected; the threatened Indian trouble in Michigan cannot amount to much; from Maryland to Louisiana, public opinion is unfriendly to Adams, but it cannot be called friendly to Jackson; Kentucky is Clay's state; things are gratifying in New York; if the electoral college were chosen by a general ticket, all opposition would sink before the friends of Adams; even as it is, they have nothing to fear. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Adams (John Quincy). Quincy, [Mass.], Aug. 21, 1827. To James Barbour, Sec. of War, Washington. He learned with pleasure that the prospects of an extensive combination among the Indians of the northwest was not so menacing as had been apprehended, but waits with some anxiety to hear of the arrival of Gen. Atkinson's command at Prairie du Chien; the renewed complaint of the Creeks against Col. Crowell requires consideration; their pretensions, that they want no agent from a state south of Virginia, and that no part of their annuity should be paid to the Mackintosh party, are both inadmissible. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

Johnson (Francis). Bowling Green, [Ky.], Aug. 31, 1827. To James Barbour, Washington.

The past election will be a salutary lesson to their friends in this district, who were so over confident that many did not vote; the opposite party dragged every one to the polls, including many Tennesseans; the border counties turned the election; the people there had been alarmed a few days before by being told that Adams was an Englishman and that he had written to the king to send over his armies and conquer the country; the pamphlets, handbills, etc., sent into this district must have cost \$2,000; he had rather be left out as an Adams man than elected as a Jackson man; Buchanan's letter created a great hubbub; Eaton, who was not in Nashville when the letter arrived there, was sent for post haste, presumably to mend up B.'s tale; let them fall out among themselves, and the people may be able to see the truth that they are the intriguers and the slanderers of the best men in the nation; when Jackson passed through here in 1825, he told the people that he would not have accepted the presidency on the terms on which Mr. Adams had taken it, of bargain and intrigue; he does not despair of Kentucky, now that their friends have been roused. A. L. S. Endorsed 3 pp. 4°.

Peters (Richard). Philadelphia, Sept. 1, 1827. To James Barbour. A new edition of the pamphlet, *The Law and the Facts*, exposing the case of the six militiamen, is called for; applications have been made from adjoining states for from 100 to 5,000 copies; the publication has done more in Pennsylvania than any individual effort; he reminds Barbour of the latter's confidential reply to a former letter on the case of the militiamen, on the authority of which reply the statements relative to the correspondence between Gov. Blount and President Madison were made; he wishes to obtain for future editions of the tract any documents that may be in the war department relating to the application by Gov. Blount to the president, the payment of the men under Col. Pipkin, and any correspondence of Jackson on the trial and execution of these men; it is said, on the unofficial authority of a gentleman in the war department, that there is a letter from Jackson in which the execution is admitted to have been a little beyond *summum jus*; everything indicates a change of opinion in Pennsylvania; they now have almost all the considerate members of the democratic party, as well as three fourths of the federals. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Powell (Alfred H.). Winchester, [Va.], Sept. 21, 1827. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co., Va. The general impression is that a majority of this county is for Jackson, as a result of the noisy course pursued by the latter's friends; he himself thinks differently; the friends of the administration will have a meeting and send delegates to Richmond; neighboring counties will follow a similar course. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

United States.—State Department. Washington, June 12, 1828. Instructions to James Barbour, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Great Britain, stating in detail the duties of his office. D. S., H. Clay. 34 pp., 1 leaf with endorsement. F°.

Adams (John Quincy). Washington, June 26, 1828. To James Barbour, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Great Britain. Barbour's instructions were prepared before the de-

parture of Mr. Clay for Kentucky on the 22d; he invites Barbour to take up his residence with him during the time in which he shall remain here. A. L. S. Endorsed. 1 page. 4°.

King (Charles), and others. New York, July 23, 1828. To James Barbour. The citizens of New York desire to give him a public dinner before he sails as minister to England. A. L. S. Signed also by nine others. 2 pp., 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

McKenney (Thomas Lorraine). July 24, 1828. To James Barbour. Sends his reply in pamphlet form to the attack made on him in the *Telegraph*; the newspapers refused to print his reply because of the remarks on [Richard] Cutts and the quotation from the [congressional] committee, both of which were necessary for his own defense and that of Barbour. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

Cutts (Richard). Washington, July 26, 1828. To James Barbour. Barbour's letter of May 31, made public by Thomas L. McKenney, censures Cutts's official conduct in the settlement of McKenney's accounts; he explains his action in the matter; the accounts were in such form that the amount expended for presents to the Indians could not be distinguished from contingent expenses. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Cutts (Richard). Washington, July 27, 1828. To James Barbour, New York. As McKenney has intimated an intention of laying his papers before congress, Cutts desires an answer to his letter of the day before; explains further his course with regard to McKenney's accounts. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Lawrence (William Beach). London, Aug. 16, 1828. To James Barbour. Hearing that Barbour was to sail on the 1st inst. he made arrangements with the customs officers at Liverpool; news of the legation; the King of the Netherlands was selected as arbiter in conformity to the late convention; Great Britain refuses the demands as to jurisdiction on the northeastern frontier; excitement over the new tariff. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Hughes (Christopher). Brussels, Aug. 27, 1828. To James Barbour, London. Proffers his correspondence; though only a subaltern in the diplomatic corps, he is well versed in European habits; he hopes Barbour may not lose Lawrence, who showed great devotion and skill; recommends the new Swedish minister, Count de Björnstierna; the father of the countess served with Pulaski in America. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Brown (James). Paris, Aug. 28, 1828. To James Barbour [London]. Alludes to their long friendship and the mutual help they can render in diplomatic questions; France professes to be at peace with all the world, yet if the Porte should reject her plan for the pacification of Greece, the armament that sailed from Toulon may commence hostilities, or it may be employed against Russia in case the Porte submits to terms and Russia pushes her conquests too far; two American ships were freighted by French agents for the expedition from Toulon; the American consul did not consider himself authorized to prevent their sailing; asks advice as to similar cases in future. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Hughes (Christopher). Brussels, Sept. 16, 1828. To James Barbour, London. Discusses at length the intended marriage of the Princess to Prince Gustavus of Sweden, and the dissatisfaction of the nation as well as the reigning house of Sweden with the match; mentions his own friendship with the King of Sweden during his eight years residence at Stockholm, and the king's regret over the parsimonious policy that withheld from him an American minister of the first rank; he blames the vulgar ignorance of Chilton and the spleen of that parliamentary pedagogue, John Randolph, who consider all diplomatic expenditure useless. A. L. S. 9 pp. 8°.

Clay (Henry). Department of State, Washington, Oct. 16, 1828. To James Barbour [London]. Concerning the selection of the King of the Netherlands as arbiter of the disputed points in the settlement of the boundary line under the fifth article of the treaty of Ghent; [Christopher] Hughes is instructed to make application to the King simultaneously with the British minister. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. F°.

Gordon (George Hamilton), 4th Earl of Aberdeen. Foreign Office, [London,] Oct. 31, 1828. To James Barbour [London]. Authenticated copies of the documents enumerated in Barbour's note will be furnished him, according to the terms of the convention of 1827, excepting two which do not come within the meaning of the treaty; other papers demanded must be individually specified. L. S. 4 pp. F°.

Mercer (Charles Fenton). Washington, Nov. 18, 1828. To James Barbour [London]. The [Chesapeake and Ohio] canal is making rapid strides westward; it will reach the mouth of the Shenandoah next year; beyond Cumberland, its progress will depend on the supply of labor; there are so many public works in America that laborers are difficult to be had even at the high price of ten or twelve dollars per month with board and whiskey; he desires Barbour to promote the effect of an enclosed notice designed chiefly for Ireland; it would be beneficial to England as well as to America to relieve the former country of a wretched and surplus population; after five years every laborer might rely on being able to till a farm of his own; the British ministry might even be willing to encourage the emigration of three thousand hands from Ireland; on [Charles] Carroll's estates are many catholics who have their churches and priests; the Marchioness of Wellesley might aid in the project; asks if Scotch laborers could be brought out from Glasgow. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Rush (Richard). Washington, Nov. 26, 1828. To [James] Barbour [London]. The [Chesapeake and Ohio] canal is going on beyond expectation; contractors have flocked in; if the corporations get their loans, there will be funds enough to complete the work to Cumberland; private subscriptions have been paid promptly, as have the installments of the United States and Maryland; they chiefly want laborers; he has nothing to say about politics, so badly have they been beaten. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

In duplicate.

Lawrence (William Beach). Paris, Nov 28, 1828. To James Barbour, London. He regrets that Barbour should meet any inconvenience re-

specting the arbitration convention; the article on the subject of evidence was drafted with care and was a favorite with Gallatin, who conceived that as all the old documents relating to the disputed territory were in possession of the British, it would operate in favor of the United States; the English plenipotentiaries assented to it only after repeated refusals; he thanks Barbour for recommending him as chargé d'affaires to Prussia; the French claims are in the same state in which they have been since the restoration of the Bourbons. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Perkins (Jacob). London, Dec. 5, 1828. To [James] Barbour [London]. He wishes to inform the United States government that his steam artillery is now in tangible shape; a committee appointed by the French government has recommended its adoption; what else he has to communicate shall be in private. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

Hughes (Christopher). Brussels, Dec. 9, 1828. To James Barbour, London. He has not yet received his instructions concerning the reference of disputed points to the King of the Netherlands, though he has seen Lord Aberdeen's instructions to Sir Charles Bagot and a copy of Clay's letter to himself; they are waiting for the arrival of his papers. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

Monroe (James). Oak Hill, [Va.,] Dec. 18, 1828. [To James Barbour, London.] He would have written letters of introduction sooner, but was confined for two months by a wound in his leg with accompanying fever caused by a fall from his horse. A. L. S. 1 page. 4°.

Hughes (Christopher). Brussels, Dec. 19, 1828. To James Barbour, London. He is still without his despatches; it is extraordinary that the instructions for a government agent abroad should first come to him through the representatives of another, and adverse, party; he blames the people at Washington, where nothing seems to have been attended to except the election; a prolongation of the presidential term might remedy this unprofitable state of things; regrets the loss of time in the present business; the king will be much pleased with the choice of him as arbiter; as for the presidency, he cannot agree with Barbour's sentiment "God save the Republic," for though Jackson is not as wise and competent a statesman as Adams, he believes him to be as true a friend of free institutions; alludes to an article in *The Age* on the president elect, showing the inveterate hatred of the British for America. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Hughes (Christopher). Brussels, Dec. 30, 1828. To James Barbour, London. Discusses the presidential election; he does not believe that the people were exclusively dazzled by Jackson's military glory; he cannot admit analogies between the people of the old and the new world in the matter of popular gullibility; the delay of his despatches may have been caused by the submission of the business to the senate. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Barbour (Philip Pendleton). Washington, Jan. 27, 1829. To James [Barbour, London]. He was interested by his brother's description of London; speculates as to Jackson's cabinet; he expects no offer for himself and would not accept one, pre-

ferring the independence of his estate and his private practise; changes in the senate; Adams is said to have written a letter supporting his charge against the federalists of the north; entertainments at Washington. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Brooke (Francis J.) Richmond, [Va.,] Jan. 27, 1829. [To James Barbour, London.] In the election, everything was lost except honor; it is probable that the tariff may be condemned as unconstitutional, notwithstanding Madison's vindication of it in two letters to Cabell; Barbour's situation is embarrassing, but he must consider himself the minister not of any cabinet but of the United States. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Taliaferro (John). Washington, Feb. 2, 1829. To James Barbour, London. The election closed in a Waterloo rout, with not a vote for Adams south of the Potomac or west of the Blue Ridge; the affected courtesy with which the victors bear their new dignity is amusing; as to official changes, a violent revolution is preparing, but all is uncertain until the hero of the drama arrives; his journey was delayed by the death of Mrs. Jackson; Major Eaton at the same time became entitled by marriage to the possession of Mrs. Timberlake, who it is supposed will do the honors of the White House; Calhoun, Van Buren, and John McLean will work the wires in the new show; jealousy is already apparent among them, and each will make a dreadful scuffle for his friends; he has consulted proper persons as to Barbour's position, and their opinion is that he had better make no move, but abide events; Barbour's colony for Florida arrived at St. Mark's with all well. A. L. S. 7 pp. 4°.

Skinner (John Stuart). Baltimore, [Md.,] Feb. 22, 1829. [To James Barbour, London.] He went to Washington to consult friends with regard to Barbour's position; it is unprecedented for a minister to be recalled without some special reason; as Barbour will probably wish to return in the autumn, it would be better for him to ask for his recall at that time, the next president being satisfied to wait until then to satisfy his partisans; probable composition of the cabinet; Tazewell is thought too anti-tariff for the treasury and will go as minister to England; severe winter; the mail coaches are travelling for more than a hundred miles on the Hudson river. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Smith (William). Washington, Mar. 17, 1829. To James Barbour [London]. Composition of the cabinet; the postmaster general is admitted to it for the first time; McLean, late postmaster, was appointed circuit judge; no change in the foreign ministers except for the recall of Gen. Harrison, who is succeeded by [Thomas P.] Moore; there is almost a total change in the collector's department, the auditors and chief clerks are quaking with fear; Clay, Calhoun, Van Buren, and perhaps McLean will all be in the field; the contest has evidently begun between them, and the country will be in a state of distraction for the next four years. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Adams (John Quincy). Washington, Apr. 10, 1829. To James Barbour, London. He received a valedictory address from the citizens of Essex and Middlesex counties in New Jersey, and as it was complimentary to all the members of the late administration, he took the occasion to testify pub-

licly to his own grateful sense of their services; he was glad to express thus his estimate of Barbour's share in the administration; the activity of the government is now chiefly perceptible by removals from office; rumors continue that Tazewell was offered the mission to Great Britain; there is a state of quietude except among the holders and the seekers of office. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

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Lafayette (Marie Jean Paul Joseph Roch Yves Gilbert Motier de), *Marquis*. Paris, Apr. 12, 1829. To James Barbour, London. He invites Barbour to visit him at La Grange; Mrs. Brown's ill health determined the American minister to return home; news of the formation of Jackson's cabinet; the committee for the Bunker Hill monument sent him a drawing; it is a model of simplicity and grandeur; \$50,000 will complete the work; he asks if there is a subscription paper at London as at Paris. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Gordon (George Hamilton), *4th Earl of Aberdeen*. Foreign Office, [London,] Apr. 15, 1829. To James Barbour [London]. In reply to Barbour's note expressing regret at the delay in furnishing documents in the British archives relating to the boundary, he says that copies were transmitted in February, except the copies of certain papers which will be sent to the United States government directly from New Brunswick. Contemporary copy. 3 pp. F°.

Van Buren (Martin). Department of State, Washington, May 12, 1829. To James Barbour [London]. The President appointed Louis McLane minister to Great Britain; Barbour may suit his own convenience as to waiting for the arrival of his successor; he is to assure the British government of the President's desire for friendly relations. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. F°.

Pleasants (John Hampden). Richmond, Va., May 30, 1829. [To James Barbour, London.] The newspapers do not give any idea of the horror and detestation caused by the President's proscription system and the despotic exercise of his power; it has produced in many cases an abandonment of Jacksonism, in others a silence and unwillingness to converse on the subject; unless the administration does something to recover favor it will go out at the end of four years; the fanaticism that prevailed when Barbour left is quite extinguished; the gentlemen partisans are on the defensive; the supplanting of Barbour by a federalist is not relished; he hopes Barbour will enter the assembly and be ready to take post under President Clay in 1833. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Barbour (James). London, July 10, 1829. [To Gales and Seaton, Washington?] He desires to have a correction made in certain remarks sent them for publication, the more so because his conduct is misrepresented at home; describes the conferring upon himself of the degree of Doctor in Civil Law by the University of Oxford, and the friendly feeling shown towards America; in mingling with the intelligent portion of the people he has endeavored to remove prejudice and hostility. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Clay (Henry). Ashland, (Ky.,] Nov. 21, 1829. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co., Va. Congratulates Barbour on his return from his foreign mission; being at leisure, he is improving his private affairs; he sees nothing in the condition of politics to discourage the hope of a speedy restoration of the reign of reason. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address and endorsement. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Richmond, [Va.,] Nov. 28, 1829. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co., Va. The [constitutional] convention cannot satisfy all parties; Monroe is frequently on the floor, too frequently for his reputation; [William Branch] Giles gave in a few words the most sensible remarks yet submitted; James Barbour has been mentioned for the chief magistracy. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Barbour (Philip Pendleton). [Richmond, Va.,] Dec. 5, 1829. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange, Va. The [constitutional] convention this day decided the basis of representation by giving to the east and west such numbers as will allow the east a majority of six in the senate and twenty in the other house; there is a rumor that the western members mean to secede. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Southard (Samuel Lewis]. Trenton, [N. J.,] Dec. 17, 1829. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co., Va. Absence from the bar did not diminish his ability; the present painful state of public affairs cannot last long; the delirium will subside; the impression seems to be that Clay would be the best man for the next election, though the Texas and land questions would weaken him in the west; Benton will rise to so much influence by those questions as to distract the west; he has been consulted from various quarters about the vice presidency, but thinks himself too poor and too young for the office; he would prefer Barbour to any other for that place. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Washington, Mar. 1, 1830. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co., Va. It is well known that there is serious disagreement in the cabinet, largely on personal matters; Jackson is said to have told his ministers to quit their broils or quit his cabinet; four political parties are active; the first, which includes the "slugs and worms" that have crawled into office, desires the reelection of Jackson; Calhoun's party is powerful but not a majority; a third party is for Van Buren, and a fourth for Clay; each of these will fall into the ranks of the first as they grow feeble or despondent; Calhoun's friends invite an immediate trial of strength by wishing the old hero to withdraw; this would be very acceptable to Clay's friends, whose hope is in division and whose fear is a caucus that would settle the rival claims; he thinks Jackson will again be presented to the people; Eaton and Van Buren are the power behind the throne; Mrs. Eaton is not generally admitted into society, but the frown of power is felt by those who do not do her homage; narrates the case of Major Broadus a soldier of the revolution, who held an office at Harper's Ferry, and supported the late president; Eaton resolved to remove him and brought secret charges of partisanship; Barbour waited on the President, who said that they should not touch a hair of the old soldier's

head, yet Eaton prevailed; congress is greatly inferior to any he ever sat in; the house has a majority of new and young members; Webster is first in the senate, with Benton second; Grundy has the ear of the president; Barbour's brother is first in the house. A. L. S. 6 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Washington, Apr. 2, 1830. [To James Barbour.] The President interfered and saved Major Broadus, notwithstanding Eaton's efforts; there is distrust and suspicion in the administration; Van Buren, Eaton, and Lewis are on one side and Ingham, Berrien, Branch, and Donelson the private secretary on the other; there is jealousy between the President and Vice President; Van Buren acts through the President's partiality for Eaton, for his own benefit; Randolph refused the mission to Russia; changes in the senate. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Preston (James Patton). Richmond, [Va.,] May 10, 1830. [To James Barbour.] He is gratified to learn that Barbour will be in the next legislature; the time is a crisis in the history of the state; to correct the principles of the new constitution by infusing all the practical republicanism which its unfortunate theory will admit, may defer those evils which the convention was meant to remove; the legislature may adopt some course to give more stability to the general government and inspire more confidence in the present administration; there are daily proofs of most objectionable appointments being made. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Webster (Daniel). Washington, May 24, 1830. To [James] Barbour. The session is breaking up with better prospects for the country; public opinion is turning strongly against the administration; the defeat of the Baltimore Railroad bill in the senate, and the expected veto of the Maysville Turnpike bill, will tell against Jackson in Maryland and the west, and with heaven's blessing may prevent the passage of the Indian bill. A. L. S. 2 pp. 4°.

Rush (Richard). Washington, Aug. 7, 1830. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co., Va. When he takes up his residence at York, Pa., he will try to secure the nomination of Clay by the Antimasonic convention at Philadelphia in September, even though Clay is a mason; the Jackson portion of that party wish to nominate McLean; it would be a mistake for Clay to go into the senate at this time, especially with Webster there; they do not need two suns in that orbit. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with address. 4°.

Mercer (Charles Fenton). Washington, Sept. 20, 1830. [To James Barbour.] On the subject of Barbour's last letter, he is confident that at the time of the contested election when the house of representatives chose Adams over Crawford and Jackson, a large majority of the Virginia delegation, almost all of whom voted for Crawford, would have preferred Adams to Jackson; he was well pleased to see Barbour take the office of secretary of war under Adams; he will not state the denunciations of Jackson at that period; neither Jackson nor Crawford could have carried on the government then without doing as Adams did, calling to his aid the talents and patriotism of his opponents; the political intolerance at which the country has now arrived is appalling; there was some dignity in the distinction between federalists and democrats; now

they are divided only about men, and all principles are prostrated; even the value of the Union is weighed and found wanting by men who were once extra-federal in their principles. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Washington, Jan. 11, 1831. To James Barbour, Ho. of Delegates, Richmond, Va. He asks Barbour to become reconciled to the President, who has already made the first step; he wishes to see Barbour in a position to render public service; all recent difficulties grew out of his hostile position towards Gen. Jackson; the old man is honest and frank, though in bad hands. A. L. S. 3 pp. F°.

Brooke (Francis J.) St. Julien, [Va.,] July 2, 1831. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co. [Va.] The public mind is settling in favor of Clay, but any attempt to forestall opinion might excite the expiring preference for Jackson; he sees no prospect of compromise between nullification and the American system; Clay must be the next president; Calhoun would not do, in the present state of the great interests of the Union. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Catalpha, [Va.,] July 30, 1831. To [James] Barbour. Since he cannot go for Clay, and his correspondent seems unwilling to go for Calhoun, he asks if they could not unite on McLean of Ohio, who has negative popularity as to himself and positive popularity on account of his locality; yet, since their purpose is to defeat Jackson, he points out the advantage of supporting Calhoun; if Virginia goes for Calhoun, the election must go to the house, and then Jackson's die is cast; he wishes to see Barbour come out of his retirement, for at present he is like Prynnne in the pillory, unable to reply to his assailants; his own election to congress is certain. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Catalpha, [Va.,] Nov. 22, 1831. To [James] Barbour. Gov. [John] Floyd communicated to him in confidence his message on the present administration, denouncing the tariff, internal improvements, the distribution of the surplus, the new missions, and the appointment of ministers without concurrence of the senate, and pointing out the mischievous tendency of the executive recommendations as enlargements of federal power which the states ought to suppress; these views are calculated to bring down the imprecations of the "Vatican;" and perhaps the denunciation of internal improvements and the tariff will withdraw from the Governor the support of the Clay party; as to the latter point he desires Barbour's opinion, and urges that they find a point of cohesion in resistance to the distribution of the surplus, and in the tendency of the message to weaken Jackson in Virginia; if the parasites of power assail the governor, the issue will be fairly made for and against the Virginia principles of '98, and if the friends of Clay take sides with the Governor he will have nothing to fear; Randolph has come out for Jackson, but it is Randolph the Pensioner, not the "great commoner" of Roanoke, and his siren song has its price; discusses the probable candidates for the senate. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Brooke (Francis J.) St. Julien, [Va.,] Jan. 1, 1832. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange Co. [Va.] Affairs at Washington; there is a latent dissatisfaction with the men in power; he thinks

the Virginia legislature will show its disapprobation before it adjourns; the people of Virginia must see that they are not contending for the venerated principles of 1798, and that the man in office is opposed to those principles without having any of his own; a new edition of Madison's report in the form of resolutions explaining the same might make those principles better understood, and the South would understand that Virginia will not go to war for the tariff and that she will support the Union; he was disappointed in the address of the convention; other political matters. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Clay (Henry). Washington, Mar. 10, 1832. To James Barbour. Explains a part of his speech concerning the cause of the fall of prices of manufactured articles since the tariff of 1824; he believes that without injury to the policy of protection, some reduction of duties might be made, thereby tranquillizing some of the opponents of the present tariff; the decision of the supreme court [concerning the Cherokees] must have great consequences; if it be resisted, and the President refuse to enforce it, there is a virtual dissolution of the Union; the President is reported to have said to a Georgia member, that he hoped Georgia would defend her rights; describes a meeting held for the purpose of passing resolutions in behalf of Barbour's kinsman, Tecumseh [Richard M. Johnson]. A. L. S. 2 pp., 1 leaf with endorsement. 4°.

Pleasants (John Hampden). Richmond, [Va.,] Mar. 23 [1832]. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange [Va.]. It has been determined to nominate no ticket through the legislature, but to postpone action until summer, when the central committee will frame a ticket or call a convention to meet at Lynchburg; the object is to withdraw pressure from the Jackson party and so accelerate its tumbling to pieces, for the Clay party acts as a hoop to preserve the cohesion of Jackson's followers; unless Jackson should die, there is little chance in Virginia; he blames the majority-hunting policy of the caucus; Van Burenism will carry the day. A. L. S. Endorsed. 4 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.). Washington, Mar. 25, 1832. [To James Barbour.] Jackson will be re-elected, and probably Van Buren will be vice president; he laments the treachery of friends that placed Barbour's brother outside the pale of selection; the bank bill will pass and will be vetoed; old Root has stripped away the veil from the wickedness of New York politics, and has promised to publish his speech; conciliatory course of Adams on the tariff; Jackson is ready to crush South Carolina while he cheers Georgia to resistance; if Clay and Calhoun would both retire some man might be found who would restore the honor of the republic; neither of them have the slightest chance; Johnson will be pressed by the kitchen cabinet for vice president, if "Van" withdraws; if Barbour's brother had been nominated at Richmond he would have been elected. A. L. S. Endorsed. 3 pp. 4°.

Dearborn (Henry Alexander Scammell). Washington, May 8, 1832. To James Barbour. The friends of the chieftain are determined to make the affair of [Sam] Houston a party question, and acquit him; [Thomas D.] Arnold was threatened with a caning on the street for remarks against

Houston in debate; there is a most respectable collection of young men at the convention, over three hundred in number; they have cheering news from New York; Clay will be elected. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Green (Duff). Washington, Sept. 24, 1832. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Va. He urges Barbour to confer with the committee that is to meet at Charlottesville, and assures him of the support of the *Whig* and the *Times*; he has enlarged his edition of the extra *Telegraph* to 30,000, and will undertake to distribute from three to six thousand in Virginia at his own risk; if they could only force out the whole truth about Jackson's attempt to impeach the character of Monroe, there would scarce be a man in Virginia to do him reverence; neither New York, Pennsylvania, Vermont, or Rhode Island can possibly be carried for Clay, but if the Virginia Clay committee will support Wirt, the latter can get all those votes. A. L. S. 1 page, 1 leaf with address. F°.

Barbour (John S.) Catalpa, [Va.,] Oct. 2, 1832. To [James] Barbour. He differs from [Duff] Green's view of the situation; if Jackson is not elected by the popular vote, neither Wirt nor Clay can be; the election must then devolve on the house of representatives; explains at length why Wirt and the anti-masons could not succeed there, and calculates Clay's probable strength; the Charlottesville convention is but a farce; Jackson, if reelected, may not hold the office, as he is in a very decayed condition; it would be better if Van Buren administered the government in his own name, as all the checks of the constitution are broken by the present irresponsible agency; anti-masonry is but dust in the balance, yet in the division of spoils it demands the lion's share; corruption of the present ministry; he has written to Green to publish Bidle's pamphlet containing a review of the veto. A. L. S. 5 pp. 4°.

Pleasants (John Hampden). Richmond, [Va.,] Oct. 7, 1832. To James Barbour, Barboursville, Orange, Va. He will write the address required, though not confident of his power to speak for a great party; he was disgusted with Barbour's brother [Philip Pendleton Barbour] for what seemed his demagogism, but hopes none the less to see him carry the vice presidency against Van Buren, if their own side cannot; this nomination of an independent ticket by the [P. P.] Barbour men at Charlottesville will give Clay a better chance in Virginia; in 1828 they stood to Jacksonism as 12 to 26; since then the extension of the suffrage, felt chiefly in the towns, which are almost all for Clay, has strengthened them; Providence seems to guide the matter, considering the consequences of Morgan's abduction, and the infatuated conduct of the Virginia caucus leading to the division of the Jackson ticket at Charlottesville; their friends in New York and Pennsylvania are confident; Green is honestly at work to repair the mischief he has done. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Catalpa, [Va.,] Nov. 29, 1832. To [James] Barbour. The movements in South Carolina make it probable that the whole question of the power of the confederacy over one of its members will come before congress this session; his personal attachments are with the men of South Carolina, yet he denies the vagary of nullifi-

cation as well as the greater heresy of secession; if either were attempted, he is ready to show both Georgia and Carolina that there is strength in the federal arm to punish all offending citizens according to the law as expounded by the courts; his opinions have always been thus, but in the Virginia delegation, outside of that part that bears the brand of federalism, he stands alone; he has also stood alone against the numerous attempts to repeal the 25th section of the judiciary act of '89; he asks help in maintaining his opinions, many of which were derived from James Barbour. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Washington, Dec. 13, 1832. To [James] Barbour. In the last session, the committee of manufactures was divided as five to two, the minority favoring reduction; now a similar majority is for bringing down the impost to the revenue principle; South Carolina will proceed in her course; Jackson is bent on mischief, if he can find popular favor for it; proceedings in the case of Col. Campbell's heirs; the new senator [William C. Rives] is said to be anti-tariff on constitutional grounds; but in 1829, when an effort was made to unite the Virginia delegation with

that of South Carolina in denouncing the tariff as unconstitutional, Rives and himself wrote an essay in the *Richmond Enquirer*, signed "A Jackson man of the school of '98," upholding Madison in his letters to Cabell. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Barbour (John S.) Washington, Feb. 24, 1833. To [James] Barbour. Proceedings in the senate; describes a visit to John Randolph, who admitted that the election of Jackson was an experiment that had failed, yet was reconciled to the President by Benton the same day. A. L. S. 4 pp. 4°.

Williams (Lewis). Washington, June 16, 1841. To James Barbour. There are indications in the house that Harrison's death will give rise to new parties; it is important for the whigs that the authority of Jefferson's name should not be used against the new bank, which will be but a rickety concern; he regrets that Tyler will not admit, like Madison, that a bank is necessary and proper; Barbour once informed him that Jefferson had expressed an opinion favorable to the bank in 1816; if this could be ascertained, it would take the ground from under the anti-bank party. A. L. S. 3 pp. 4°.

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- Lee (Roswell) Apr. 16, 1816.
- McKenney (Thomas Lorraine) July 24, 1828.
- Madison (James) June 16, 1814.
Feb. 14, 1820.
Dec. 5, 1823.
- Mercer (Charles Fenton) Nov. 18, 1828.
Sept. 20, 1830.
- Monroe (James) Oct. 26, 1814.
Mar. 3, 1817.
Feb. 3, 1820.
June 14, 1823.
Mar. 14, 1824.
Mar. 16, 1824.
Dec. 18, 1828.
- Nicholas (Wilson Carey) Mar. 16, 1816.
- Perkins (Jacob) Dec. 5, 1828.
- Peters (Richard) Sept. 1, 1827.
- Pleasants (James) Mar. 25, 1824.
- Pleasants (John Hampden) May 30, 1829.
Mar. 23, 1832.
Oct. 7, 1832.
- Powell (Alfred H.) Sept. 21, 1827.
- Preston (James Patton) May 10, 1830.
- Preston (John) Dec. 14, 1818.
- Ritchie (Thomas) Jan. 4, 1819.
May 21, 1823.
- Roane (Spencer) Jan. 4, 1816.
Feb. 12, 1816.
Jan. 30, 1819.
Feb. 16, 1819.
- Roberdeau (Isaac) Feb. 2, 1816.
- Roberdeau (Isaac) and Anderson (J.) Jan. 15, 1816.
- Rush (Richard) Nov. 26, 1828.
Aug. 7, 1830.
- Skinner (John Stuart) Feb. 22, 1829.
- Smith (William) Mar. 17, 1829.
- Southard (Samuel Lewis) Dec. 17, 1829.
- Swift (Joseph Gardner) Jan. 6, 1816.
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